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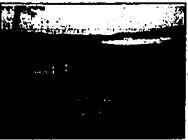
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# Bill seeks minimum farm wages

By Liz Wright  
Times-News writer

**TWIN FALLS**—A bill that would require farmers to pay at least minimum wage to their field workers appeals to Diane Garza, 26, of Twin Falls.

Two years ago, the single mother of four started considering another line of work. Farmers were offering less money for the same jobs and limiting the number of hours she could work in the fields.

Garza remembers when a family her size

could make up to \$1,000 weekly. Now she makes half that, earning \$5.65 hourly.

"It's very hard because everybody has got to make a living, but we're not going to make it off anything they want to pay us," Garza said. The bill's sponsor, Rep. Ken Robison, D-Boise, said his proposal offers fairness to laborers. Jobs below minimum wage, at \$5.15

hourly, are most common when work is scarce and labor is plentiful, such as fruit tree pruning, asparagus cutting and other winter and early spring work, Robison said.

Farms and ranches that employ more than seven full-time workers, 100 workers for five days or 500 workers for one day, are bound by the federal minimum wage law requirements, but they only account for 36 percent of the agricultural employees in Idaho, Robison said.

Livestock, dairy workers and tree

pruners have reported making \$1 to \$2 hourly in some cases, according to information Robison said he obtained from Idaho Legal Aid, which represents people unable to afford lawyers in civil cases.

His bill also would give workers' overtime pay. Robison said he introduced his bill without sending it through a committee for approval to increase its chances of being debated by the Legislature.

"The farm workers are a large group and I don't see any reason why they should be

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# It was the day the music died



Base player George Atwood of Jerome smiles as he recollects working with Buddy Holly in the recording studio 40 years ago.

## 39 years ago today, George Atwood's buddy, Holly, fell silent

By Steve Crump  
Times-News writer

**JEROME**—Feb. 3 is still a little hard on George Atwood.

"Couldn't talk about it for 20 years after it happened," raps Atwood with a faintest hint of a West Texas drawl. "Buddy Holly's mother asked me to go out to the cemetery and take some pictures of the headstone. It was hard to do."

Today is the 39th anniversary of Holly's death in a fiery plane crash in a frozen Iowa cornfield—a defining moment in pop music. Holly had invented the format for what rock 'n' roll would become in the 1950s and beyond—double-track recording, bands that included two guitars, a bass and a drum, and a fusion of rockabilly with the soul of R&B and the sophisticated musicianship of jazz.

"Like Waylon Jennings said, it's not worth asking where music would have taken Buddy," Atwood said. "You should ask where Buddy would have taken music."

Atwood, a bass player, figures he would have been along for the ride. He played on nearly a dozen Holly recordings, usually "overdubbing"—recording over an existing musical track—to shore up the shaky work of the

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# Possible poultry plant could create 300 new jobs

By Kurt Friedemann  
Times-News writer

**BURLEY**—A poultry processing plant could move into the Mini-Cassia area bringing some 300 jobs, if investors decide to build in Idaho.

The plant's investors also were considering sites in Nevada and Utah, said Mini-Cassia Development Commission Chairman Larry Roberts, but he declined to comment further on specifics about the plant or its possible location.

## Investors consider Mini-Cassia location

He said the commission will meet with the plant's backers "in another couple of weeks."

Cassia County Commissioner Paul Christensen said the development commission discussed the plant's size and operation in a Jan. 8 meeting with investors. The group also watched a video illustrating how the plant might work.

"They wanted to bring us up to speed on

what their thinking was," he said.

The county hasn't yet been approached about a location and possible regulations, Christensen said.

"We would certainly be willing to take a look at it though," he said.

Garth Frymiller is a Burley real estate agent and one of the plant's investors. He said the plant would be fully integrated, which means it would be self-sufficient,

incorporating everything from growing the birds to processing and shipping them.

"It will do everything from start to finish," he said. About 10,000 chickens an hour would be processed through the plant, Frymiller said, and added that a plant of that size wouldn't be located close to many neighbors.

But he said the availability of water is critical for the plant's operation. A location is still under consideration.

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# Budget offers help for families

## Election-year offerings result from surplus

The Associated Press

**WASHINGTON**—For baby, it may mean a subsidized slot in a day-care center. For his older sister, a smaller first-grade class. For Grandpa, it's a chance to buy into Medicare early.

President Clinton's budget is chock full of elector-year goodies for the American family. Working for the first time without a deficit and its pressure to cut spending, the administration has a wealth of cradle-to-grave initiatives.

There are child-care subsidies for poor parents and tax credits for the middle class. There are grants for after-school programs and grants to hire more teachers.

For immigrants who lost foot stamps in the welfare overhaul of 1996, they're restored. Any family with children—even if they just arrived in this country—would qualify for food aid under the Clinton plan.

### More on budget—A3, A7

What family hasn't confronted cancer? Most will welcome a 10 percent boost in cancer research.

Even Congress, which is balking at much of Clinton's spending, is likely to go along with \$1 billion more for biomedical research.

Republican leaders have already said enough, that most of the extra spending Clinton proposed is better earmarked for tax cuts, giving families the dollars to spend as they see fit.

Clinton targets his approach to parents like Paul and Angelique Lundberg of Upper Marlboro, Md. They have two young children—ages 2½ and 1½—and Angelique is ready to go back to work. That means a search for child care.

The Lundbergs go back and forth worrying about the cost—about \$225 per week—and worrying about finding a center that's good enough for Hannah and Brandon.

"It's kind of a stressful thing to put your kids in someone else's hands," Paul Lundberg said. He welcomes a tax credit that Clinton offers in his budget, but he's even happier about efforts to

boost quality by giving states incentives to inspect centers and helping child care workers get extra schooling.

In Utah, Lily Eskelsen gets Clinton's effort to reduce class size. An elementary school teacher, she helped persuade the state legislature to put up money to hire more teachers. She says it's made all the difference. In 1988, she had 38 sixth-graders in her suburban Salt Lake City class; now she has 25.

With fewer children, she said, she has time to push those who are ahead of the class and provide extra help to those who fall behind.

Clinton's plan targets younger grades, trying to hire 100,000 teachers over seven years.

But the budget doesn't just focus on children. There's quite a bit for older Americans.

The nearelderly—Americans age 62 to 65—often cannot buy health insurance on the private market, but they could sign up for Medicare under the Clinton plan. People as young as 65 could buy it if they lose employer-provided insurance.

Clinton says the program will pay for itself, with participants paying the full cost of the premium.



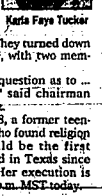
# Clemency bid fails

The Associated Press

**AUSTIN, Texas**—A state board unanimously rejected Karla Faye Tucker's bid for clemency Monday, leaving only the Supreme Court and the governor with the power to halt the pickaxe killer's scheduled execution today.

Despite pleas for mercy, including one from Pope John Paul II, the nature of the crime left the Board of Pardons and Paroles with no qualms, the chairman said. They turned down Ms. Tucker 16-0, with two members abstaining.

"There is no question as to how they feel," said chairman Victor Rodriguez. Ms. Tucker, 38, a former teenage prostitute who found religion in prison, would be the first woman executed in Texas since the Civil War. Her execution is scheduled for 5 p.m. MST today.



# MAGIC VALLEY FIVE-DAY FORECAST

### Camas Prairie

High: 42 Low: 24  
Rain, snow likely with 1-3 inches new snow above 6000 feet. Chance of rain showers tonight and Wednesday.

### Treasure Valley

High: 57 Low: 36  
Windy with rain showers decreasing to chance of showers tonight and Wednesday. Southeast wind 20-30 mph.

### Sawtooth Mountains/Wood River Valley

High: 38 Low: 21  
Scattered rain and snow showers this morning; rain in the afternoon. Chance of rain and snow showers tonight and Wednesday.

### Eastern Idaho

High: 45 Low: 32  
Rain mixed with snow this morning; rain in the afternoon. Chance of snow tonight, chance of snow and then rain Wednesday.

### Northern Idaho

High: 49 Low: 39  
Light rain likely. East wind 10-15 mph. Scattered rain showers tonight and Wednesday. Continued mild.

### Northern Utah

High: 52 Low: 36  
Light rain showers with gusty south winds 15-30 mph. Warmer, mostly cloudy, breezy with rain or snow showers Wednesday.

### Northern Nevada

High: 44 Low: 27  
Rain and snow likely with snow level 5500 feet, and reaching valley floors tonight. Scattered rain showers Wednesday.

Today	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
High: 51 Low: 33 Scattered rain showers. Southeast wind 10-20 mph.	High: 42 Low: 27 Chance of rain showers, mostly cloudy and cooler.	High: 44 Low: 25 Chance of rain and snow. Valley fog areas.	High: 43 Low: 23 Chance of rain and snow. Valley fog areas.	High: 40 Low: 26 Chance of rain and snow. Valley fog areas.

### IDAHO Weather

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Tuesday, Feb. 3.

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### YESTERDAY'S WEATHER

Twin Falls	Precipitation
Yesterday 47 27	Yesterday in Twin Falls .08
Last year 35 24	Month to date: .12
Normal 39 21	Normal to date: .12
	Water year to date: 4.06
	Normal year to date: 4.26

### Idaho Highs/Lows

City	Max	Min	Pcp
Boise	49	36	.05
Burley	47	31	...
Coeur d'Alene	53	24	...
Idaho Falls	35	21	.05
Jerome	43	28	.04
Levin	53	24	...
Malad	40	30	...
Malia	40	30	...
McCall	38	27	.05
Pocatello	41	25	.14
Salmon	23	9	...
Stanley	36	10	.01
Sun Valley	37	5	Tr.

### The Nation

City	Max	Min	Pcp
Albuquerque	54	27	...
Atlanta	47	41	.32
Chicago	40	32	.05
Dallas	60	44	...
Denver	40	40	...
Des Moines	31	27	.02
Detroit	38	28	...
Houston	55	52	.32
Indianapolis	40	34	...
Kansas City	35	31	...
Las Vegas	59	54	.63
Los Angeles	61	47	...
Memphis	41	27	...
Miami Beach	36	31	.01
Minneapolis	29	24	.35
New Orleans	51	33	...
New York	48	34	...
Oakland	51	31	...
Omaha	31	26	.03
Phoenix	70	49	...
Pittsburgh	39	17	.13
Portland, Me.	39	17	...
Reno	39	33	.52
St. Louis	46	35	...
San Antonio	62	54	1.52
San Francisco	51	38	...
Seattle	39	32	.09
Spokane	49	29	...
Washington	49	29	...

## Offender registry bill up for vote

BOISE (AP) — The Senate Judiciary Committee unanimously cleared legislation on adult and juvenile sex offender registration for action by the full Senate.

Without dissent Monday, the committee approved creation of a juvenile sex offender register for a final floor vote, but it left open to likely revisions the bill revamping the five-year-old adult offender registration law before a final vote is held.

While there are some changes the attorney general's office is proposing, Republican Floor Leader James Risch of Boise expects the Senate "may see some other things creeping in."

Both proposals would provide relatively easy public access to the lists, and Deputy Attorney General William V. VandenBurg shrugged off contentions of critics that vigilantism will follow. He maintained those incidents have occurred in areas where people are notified by authorities of an offenders presence in their neighborhood and not where the information is generally available to those who seek it.

The committee turned aside claims by the American Civil Liberties Union that parts of the law were unconstitutional and others were far more pervasive than required to comply with federal mandates. Even some committee members pointed out that there was no mandate yet to form a juvenile sex offender register, although legislation on that front has been proposed.

Failure to comply with the federal mandates on adult offender registration could cost the state \$300,000.

Von Tegen argued that the provisions of the bills only refined various requirements, offenders are now subjected to

## Buddy

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less experienced bassists whom Holly recruited for his backup band, The Crickets.

"Just before he went on his last tour, Buddy called me and told me he was going to build a studio and wanted me to be a part of it," Atwood said. "And he told me that didn't want to go on that tour."

The tour ended outside Mason City, Iowa, when the Beechcraft Bonanza that Holly and fellow rockers J.P. Richardson and Richie Valens had chartered crashed during a snowstorm.

"I had played with Gene Krupa (band) a couple of years before," Atwood said. "And we had played in that same hall where Buddy played his last show."

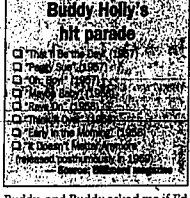
Atwood is 77 now, confined to a small mobile home by the ravages of a music teacher, radio advertising salesman and a condominium manager, but most of his life was spent in dance halls, recording studios and playing honky-tonks — laying down backbeat for more famous musicians.

He moved to Idaho in 1990 because his wife wanted to be near her seriously ill mother.

"I got to work with a great bunch of guys," said Atwood, who had stints with big-band legends Tommy Dorsey, Benny Goodman, Artie Shaw and Harry James and was once a co-worker of Waylon Jennings' at a Lubbock radio station. "But Buddy was one of the best."

Holly, a skinny rhythm guitar player from Lubbock, Texas, recently died from kidney failure. Atwood in a Clavis, N.M., recording studio in 1956.

This young fellow walked in during a session and started talking to (producer) Norman Petty, and he started pointing at me," Atwood said. "When we took a break, Norman introduced me to



Buddy, and Buddy asked me if I'd like to work with him on some recordings."

Atwood was never officially a Crickets, but he might as well have been. His bass lines can be heard on Holly's hits "Oh, Boy," "Rave On" and "Early in the Morning," among other singles.

"He always treated me real good, but Buddy wasn't a man you wanted to cross," Atwood said.

One time Buddy picked me up and as we were driving to Clovis, the sun was going down and looked like a big red-orange ball on the highway," he said. "We wrote lyrics about it but never turned it into a song. Just after, 'That'll Be the Day' hit big."

That song, spurred by big-time label Decca Records earlier, soared to No. 1 on the pop charts in the summer of 1957. Buddy Holly, country-Western singer, had become a rock star.

"Buddy started kind of middle-of-the-road, but by the time of 'That'll Be the Day,' he had his own sound — and that hiccup."

That hiccup punctuated breathtaking slides between Holly's falsetto and his regular voice — and a style that managed at once to sound harmless to adults and subversive to 16-year-olds.

Within a year, Holly had dumped his producer and his band and had a New York City address and big-city girlfriend.



Buddy Holly was at the height of his fame when he died in an Iowa plane crash in February, 1959.

who he would soon marry.

"He was trying to go his own way," Atwood said. "That's one reason he wanted to build the studio."

Holly's split from Petty led to legal problems, according to "The Rolling Stone Encyclopedia of Rock 'n' Roll," and those disputes tied up his finances and prompted him reluctantly to join his last tour, backed by ex-Crickets guitarist Tommy Allsup and Jennings.

"Waylon gave up his seat on the plane for Buddy," Atwood said.

Holly, Richardson ("Chantilly Lace") and Valens ("La Bamba") had chartered the Beechcraft to their next gig in Fargo, N.D., because Holly was tired of riding the tour bus and needed to get some laundry done.

"Buddy didn't like to go back on his word," Atwood said, falling silent for a moment.

"He was just 22 years old."

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## Judge imposes life sentence

BOISE (AP) — The leader of a gang who threw Travis Mader a cliff at Lucky Peak Reservoir has escaped the death penalty, although the sentencing judge says there is little chance of rehabilitation for Richard Allen Dunn.

Fourth District Judge Thomas Neville Monday sentenced Dunn to life in prison without a chance of parole for first-degree murder.

"But singling him out for the death penalty is not just. It is my

intention that you never be eligible for parole and that you never be free," Neville told 28-year-old Dunn.

Prosecutors had sought the death penalty, calling it one of the most heinous crimes in Ada County history.

McIntire, 20, was beaten and stuffed into the trunk of his own car in November 1995. While McIntire pleaded for his release, the group hunted for some place to deposit his body, Neville said.

## Wage

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excluded," Robison said. "I think it's discriminatory to say the person in the food processing plant is covered and the person in the field is not."

Dan Shewmaker, a Kimberly farmer, said he cannot believe anyone pays workers less than minimum wage. He said the bill would change nothing about his operation.

"Farm workers get well above the minimum wage," Shewmaker said. "You can't get farm workers to \$7 an hour. And if it's anybody who earns their wages, it's those

who work out in the fields. I usually just pay them what they ask."

Like many farmers, Shewmaker said he limits the number of hours workers can spend in the fields. Nighttime labor is usually not very productive because his workers start early in the morning.

"I limit them to eight hours because they get tired and do poor work after that," Shewmaker said.

TimeNews writer Liz Wright can be reached in Boise at 345-5158.

## Poultry

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"It depends what all we can put together," he said.

Erveyer said he and fellow investors did not want to concern neighbors as Idaho Supreme Potatoes Inc. did when it announced possible construction of a potato processing plant south of Burley.

"We don't want to have a problem, like the Idaho Wild Card, that can hurt as much as it can help."

TimeNews staff writer Kurt Friedmann can be reached in Burley at 677-4042.

## FBI probes letters

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP) — The FBI said Monday it is investigating letters claiming the fatal bombing at a Birmingham abortion clinic was orchestrated by the "Army of God," the same group that said it bombed an abortion clinic in Atlanta.

— CLARIFICATION —

In the caption of a photograph Saturday, the Times-News misidentified Shari Poulton. She is a certified massage therapist and a member of the American Massage Therapy Association. The Times-News regrets the error.

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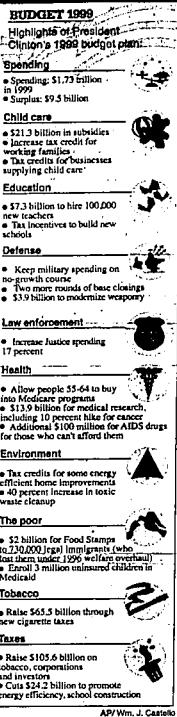
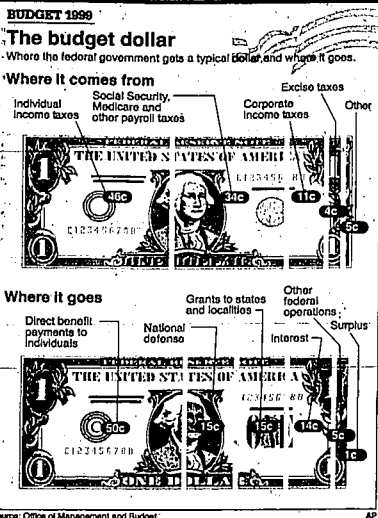
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## Starr seeks papers from White House

WASHINGTON (AP) — Whitewater prosecutors got copies Monday of the sworn statements that President Clinton and Monica Lewinsky gave in the Paula Jones sexual harassment lawsuit — statements at odds with Ms. Lewinsky's tape-recorded talk of a sexual relationship with Clinton.

Both the president and the former White House intern denied in the statements — a Clinton deposition and a Lewinsky affidavit — that they had had sexual relations, according to sources familiar with the documents.

However, Ms. Lewinsky spoke of such relations in tape recordings made by her one-time friend Linda Tripp. Those recordings, turned over to Whitewater prosecutor Kenneth Starr, sparked the current controversy.

Clinton's deposition, taken by Mrs. Jones' lawyers last month, and Ms. Lewinsky's affidavit were turned over to the federal grand jury hearing evidence in the case, a source close to the lawsuit said.

Meanwhile, with Ms. Lewinsky refusing to cooperate, prosecutors are trying to gather evidence of an alleged presidential affair and cover-up from a Clinton administration that has a history of sometimes failing to produce key evidence promptly.

Clinton administration lawyers hope to meet with prosecutors

this week over how to respond to subpoenas in the Lewinsky controversy. White House officials are publicly pledging cooperation while privately complaining that Starr's requests are too broad.

Starr said Monday that "we've been focused hard on some of the questions and issues," but he declined to elaborate.

"We're continuing to move forward," Starr told CNN.

On one issue, the Secret Service already is raising concerns about the kinds of questions that Starr might want to ask agents. And a senior Clinton adviser says that, although no final decision has been made, administration

lawyers are prepared to fight any effort by Starr to subpoena Secret Service agents.

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## Budget addresses Latino dropouts

Clinton designates funds to fight it

Knight Ridder News Service

WASHINGTON — Recognizing the election-year potential of Hispanic voters, President Clinton proposed in his budget Monday to spend hundreds of millions of dollars in a new effort to counter high dropout rates among Latino students.

Education ranks second only to immigration as a political issue in Hispanic communities, where the dropout rate for young adults averages 30 percent. That's 2½ times the rate for black youths and 3½ times the rate for whites.

Low educational achievement could consign many Latinos to menial jobs in the growing high-tech economy, experts say.

"This is both good politics and good policy," said Charles Kammsak, a senior lobbyist with the National Council of La Raza, a major Hispanic advocacy group. "For many years, federal initiatives designed to help level the educational playing field have neglected Hispanics. We're very happy to see a serious, credible, substantial package."

Increasingly active as a political constituency, Hispanics are being courted by both political parties. High poverty rates and a history of ethnic discrimination provide an opening for the

Democratic message in Hispanic communities. But a strong entrepreneurial streak and a socially conservative heritage also make Latinos receptive to GOP ideas.

Clinton's proposals — collectively named the Hispanic Education Initiative — were announced at a White House event by Vice President Al Gore. Precisely how much new spending is involved was not clear.

Clinton called for a \$393 million increase for Title I, the basic elementary and secondary school remedial-education program. About one-third of students in Title I programs are Hispanic.

The budget also called for a \$225 million increase in several programs that mainly serve Hispanic students. It ranged from \$33 million to help at-risk students complete high school and go to college, to an additional \$25 million for training teachers to work with bilingual students and \$33 million more to teach adults English.

Much of the money was aimed at basic remedial programs, but if Clinton's initiative also involves a large increase for bilingual programs, it could draw strong opposition on Capitol Hill. Many Republicans favor teaching immigrant children in English.

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## Conservatives repeat question: 'Where's the outrage?'

WASHINGTON (AP) — With defeat almost certain, Bob Dole raised an unglamorous question late in the 1996 campaign.

How could a president so often accused of misconduct be so popular? "Where is the outrage?" he demanded.

The question is back. Frustrated by President Clinton's record-high poll numbers, conservatives suggest that the Monica Lewinsky controversy may reveal as much about Americans as it does about their president.

"He has winked at his own behavior and invited us to wink back," self-styled Republican moralist William Bennett told the Conservative Political Action Conference. "Many Americans have decided for their own reasons, to follow him downhill."

Former Republican presidential candidate Alan Keyes said, "If the



Bob Dole

William Bennett

American people are right now handing approval to a president who has brought us as low as this president has then they do not pass a judgment on the president — they pass a judgment on themselves."

In Congress, too, where criticism of Clinton generally has been more muted, there are similar comments. "Anybody who believes that Clinton's alleged infidelities should be excused has



Jesse Helms

many voters don't believe his denials about an affair with Ms. Lewinsky, a majority of Americans believe he has the honesty and integrity to serve as president.

Three out of five respondents to a recent Los Angeles Times poll agreed that it is possible for Clinton to behave unethically in his personal life while maintaining integrity in his presidential duties. A slightly larger number

didn't think he should resign or be impeached if he was lying about an affair with Ms. Lewinsky.

Some conservatives say the polls may simply reflect a presumption of innocence, and they expect Clinton's support to plummet if credible evidence emerges against him.

"The American people are still waiting for information. That's OK. That's understandable," said Randy Tate, executive director of the Christian Coalition. "But as more information is known, I predict his approval rating will drop like a lead balloon."

"American people are very honest and patient and want to give people the benefit of the doubt," said William Beckman, a conservative voter from Lake Mills, Wis. "Even I, a person with an extreme dislike for Clinton, don't want to see him hanging in effigy."

Others consider the polls a symptom of cynicism toward all public officials.

"We hold our husband to a higher standard" than public officials, said Sen. Rick Santorum, R-Pa. "That is the real sin here."

Democrats, led by the White House, look at the polls and declare that voters are interested in Clinton's programs — not his sex life.

"They know this: The president has proposed an extraordinary agenda. They support that and they want us to get the work done," Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle said Monday.

Pollster Andrew Kohut agreed: "Most people are focused on the good times and the fact that Clinton has done many of the things they want. They don't want to deal with this."

With rhetoric bordering on com-

tempt, Bennett calls such a rationale selfish.

"He's disreputable, but the economy is going fine, we're getting more day cares and we're getting a toll-free domestic abuse hotline," Bennett said with a mocking tone. "So we close our eyes and just vote for him. That's a lesson in corruption."

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## Judge sends ex-governor to prison

PHOENIX (AP) — Former Gov. Fife Symington was sentenced to 2 1/2 years in prison Monday for lying to get millions of dollars in loans to shore up his collapsing real estate empire.

The prison term, which is to be followed by five years on probation, completed a fall from grace that drove the two-term Republican from office.

U.S. District Judge Roger Strand said he opted for a lighter sentence than prosecutors requested because prosecutors "seriously overstated" how much Symington's crimes contributed to the lenders' losses. Strand said "a large portion of the losses were caused by the depression in the Phoenix real estate market."

Symington resigned after his arrest Sept. 3, becoming the second Arizona governor in a decade forced from office by scandal. The six counts he was sentenced on accused him of providing false financial statements to lenders to win loans and gain loan concessions for his real estate developments.

A federal probation officer had recommended that Symington serve 6 1/2 to eight years in prison and pay \$15.8 million in restitution. Prosecutors wanted a



Fife Symington

10-year term. Symington's attorneys asked for probation.

His voice shaking as he asked Strand for leniency, Symington said he never meant to mislead anyone but did not admit he committed crimes. He said he should have paid closer attention when preparing his financial statements.

"The legal avalanche that has resulted from my mistakes has been the most brutal experience of my life," Symington said, choking back tears. "It's sometimes hard to believe that from such stupid mistakes a nightmare was born to flourish."

Federal prosecutor David Schneider told Strand Symington should not get special favors because he has powerful friends. Symington, who was elected on a promise to run the state with the same business acumen he brought to real estate, stood trial on 21 charges. He was convicted on seven counts of filing false financial statements with

lenders. Strand threw out one of the convictions late last month.

Symington was acquitted of three counts, including a charge that he tried to use his political muscle as governor against a pension fund he owed \$10 million, and the jury deadlocked on the remaining counts.

Symington, joined by fellow Republican Evan Mecham as Arizona governors forced from office by scandal, Mecham was impeached and removed by the state Senate in 1987 but later was acquitted of charges related to a questionable campaign loan.

Symington, a Harvard-educated great-grandson of U.S. Steel co-founder Henry Clay Frick, was indicted last year on federal charges alleging that he repeatedly lied about the health of his troubled businesses when applying for loans in the late 1980s.



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## Reports show dramatic decline in AIDS in 1997

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Doctors have known almost since they began widely prescribing potent three-drug combinations two years ago that fewer people with AIDS were dying, but even the experts seem surprised by the scope of their success.

"We can't see the end of the epidemic, but it's the beginning of a new era," said Dr. Kevin DeCock of the National Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta.

The latest evidence of this change came Monday when CDC officials presented new data at the Fifth Conference on Retroviruses and Opportunistic Infections.

Deaths from AIDS peaked in 1994 and 1995, then nosed downward in 1996. Last year, that fall accelerated.

"Treatment is having a

marked, dramatic impact on AIDS mortality," said the CDC's Dr. Patricia Fleming.

According to the CDC, 12,040 Americans died of AIDS in the first half of 1997, compared with 21,460 in the first half of 1996. The total nationwide figures for last year will not be tallied until July.

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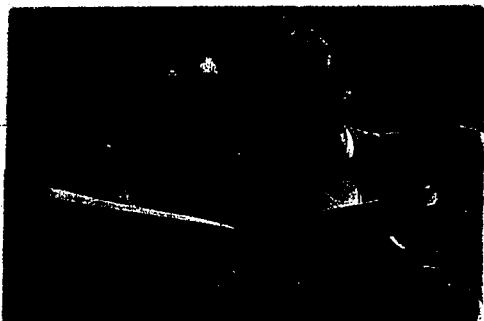
Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman said Monday the continued spending reductions in his budget — It has dropped from \$63 billion in 1993 to a proposed \$54.3 billion in fiscal 1999 — has

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"You can't keep doing that without finding additional resources," Glickman said.

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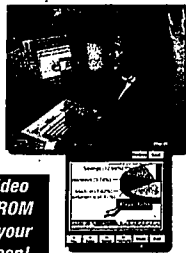
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# Clinton: Speed up log road removal

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton Monday proposed a 20 percent spending increase next year on efforts to build and remove logging roads on national forests and improve watersheds critical to Northwest salmon and other fish.

The proposal includes a plan to develop a new network of miles of roads to be obliterated and replanted, from 1,200 miles in the current year to 3,500 miles in the 1999 fiscal year that begins Oct. 1.

It also foresees a continued slight decline in logging levels over the next two years and proposes a new spending formula to help counties that depend on federal timber sale receipts.

"The extensive Forest Service road system is rapidly eroding, risking public safety and contributing to environmental damage in some national forests," according to Clinton's budget blueprint released today.

Although few specific details were immediately available, the budget proposes spending \$218 billion — up 20 percent from the 1998 budget — "for investing in road maintenance and reconstruction, road closures and obliteration, and watershed improvements that are critically important to salmon, water quality and other resource management goals."

It comes on the heels of Forest Service Chief Mike Dombeck's announcement last month that he wants to place a moratorium on road building across most of the acres in national forests that are 5,000 acres or larger and currently have no roads.

That moratorium, however, includes two large exceptions in the Tongass National Forest of Alaska and all national forests in Oregon, Washington and Northern California with northern spotted owls.

For the second year in a row, Clinton proposed eliminating the "timber purchaser road credit program," which reimburses private timber companies for building the roads needed to reach national forest trees for logging.

Under the budget, the Forest Service is expected to offer for sale in the current fiscal year about 3.8 billion board feet of timber, down from 4 billion board feet last year. About 3.4 billion board feet should be sold next year, the budget projects.

During the 1980s, before federal courts ruled the logging to be

illegal, the agency averaged logging of more than 12 billion board feet of timber a year, more than 4 billion in the Pacific Northwest alone.

Overall, Clinton proposes a \$1.4 billion operating budget for the Forest Service, an increase of about 5 percent over the current year.

Clinton proposes extending special payments to counties in the Pacific Northwest through 2003 to offset declining timber values.

## Navajo leader's call for interstate blockade raises questions

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. (AP) — Navajo Nation President Albert Hale has threatened to demonstrate American Indian sovereignty by closing off all roads on the reservation for a day.

His aides, however, said less extreme measures could also be used to raise awareness of Indian tribes' independent status.

"If he closes down Interstate

40, it would create a major problem for us," said Lt. Robert Cook, head of the New Mexico State Police barracks in Gallup.

Not only would it require state police to find alternative routes for the 15,000 motorists who travel I-40 every day, Cook said, but it would disrupt bus schedules and mail delivery as well.

Hale made the bold suggestion

at a meeting of Indian leaders in Washington D.C. to demonstrate that Navajos are part of a sovereign nation holding ultimate control over their own land.

Another idea, he said, would be to require "transit visas" to cross Navajo lands; a third might be to charge tolls.

Aides to Hale said later that the severe measures could be

saved for later. The Navajo Nation could just stop traffic on the roads and hand out leaflets explaining to drivers the concept of tribal sovereignty and the rights of Indian tribes to control who can go through their reservations, the aides said.

Hale has made tribal sovereignty a major issue over the past year.

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## Board denies killer's bid to be attorney

PHOENIX (AP) — Convicted killer James Hamm says becoming a prisoners' rights lawyer is his way of atoning for the execution murder of a man during a drug ripoff 23 years ago.

The Arizona Board of Executive Clemency, however, remains unconvinced. It threw a roadblock Monday in front of Hamm's efforts to become an attorney.

Board members voted 3-2 to keep Hamm on lifetime parole, which the longtime prison reform activist says would prevent him from becoming an attorney because of restrictions on his contacts with prisoners and parolees.

Hamm, who graduated from Arizona State University's law school in December, has drawn the scorn of many Arizona politicians and lawyers during his bid to become a lawyer. Clemency board member Howard Jarrett, who voted to keep Hamm on parole, said he shares critics' skepticism about whether someone with such a "demented character" could ever be fully rehabilitated.

"First-degree murder in an execution-style is a very serious matter, and I cannot in good conscience allow someone to be absolutely discharged under those conditions," Jarrett told The Associated Press.

If Hamm passes the bar examination in February, it would be up to the State Bar of Arizona whether to allow him to practice as a lawyer. Carolyn de Loooper, who heads the state bar's character and fitness panel, declined to comment Monday on Hamm's chances of becoming an attorney or whether any other murderers have become lawyers in Arizona.

Hamm said he would ask again to be released from parole "at the appropriate time."



## EDITORIAL

### Mormon Reservoir doesn't need to be a fish feedlot.

Many Magic Valley residents will tell you that fishing is a birthright. But there's a difference between a fishery and a fish marker.

Case in point: Mormon Reservoir in southern Camas County, recently designated by the Idaho Fish and Game Commission as a trophy fishery. That means you can catch only two trout of any size.

That change has some Gooding County and Camas County sportsmen up in arms. Some of them seem to believe, incorrectly, as it turns out - that Mormon is about to become the exclusive preserve of fly fishermen.

For the price of a fishing license under the old rules, folks have been able to pull their campers up the reservoir's edge, pull out a lawn chair, and haul out six trout.

Anglers went through hundreds of tons of fish each summer, all planted at public expense. It wasn't much of a problem. You needed nothing more than a pole and a can of worms.

In changing the rules last October, the commission pointed out that there are plenty of other spots like that in south-central Idaho - Thorn Creek and Roseworth reservoirs being two. What's wrong with setting aside Mormon to be something else?

That's a fair question. It seems to us that the Idaho Department of Fish

and Game shouldn't be running the aquatic version of a feedlot. Sometimes strict limits are appropriate, both in the interests of the resource and of the people who use it.

Among too many Idahoans, there's a mean-spirited sense of entitlement about hunting and fishing. Since they live 10 minutes from a trout stream or a duck blind, they reason that it's Fish and Game's mission to fill their larders.

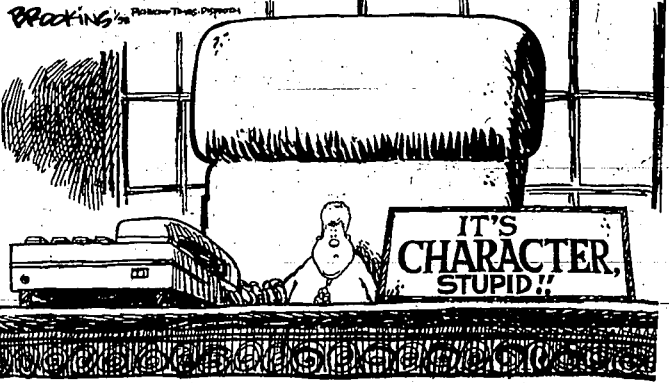
That's clearly not the agency's charter.

The statute under which the department was organized nearly 60 years ago charged it with managing wildlife populations and making sure there's a balance between human sport and wildlife survival.

Fish and Game is supposed to be in the business of providing fishing and hunting opportunities, not guaranteeing success. For Idahoans looking for the latter, there are plenty of game farms and put-and-take fishing ranches.

Many of the rest of us actually relish the prospect that we might come home empty-handed after a day by the side of a lake - or that we might have an 18-inch rainbow trout for supper.

It seems to us that fishing is supposed to be an experience, not a process. If you want a "haul," go to the grocery store.



## LETTERS

### Law shouldn't affect patient care

In reference to *The Times-News* Jan. 12, 1997, article, "Cutting costs could cost more," we do not believe the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 will adversely affect patient care. While the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 does place restrictions on home health services, the intent of the bill is to prevent Medicare fraud and abuse. Medicare's qualifying criteria for home health is nothing new; a patient must be homebound, require a skilled service and the care be intermittent and medically necessary. We have acceptance of Medicare patients on these factors alone.

The Balanced Budget Act calls for a prospective payment system to be developed by Oct. 1, 1998. It is not in place yet, nor are the "spending caps." So we don't understand why a patient would be turned away because of "spending caps."

As for venipuncture, the act states: "No Home Health benefits based solely on drawing blood." There are resources in our community that will go into a patient's home to draw blood at a fraction of what a skilled nurse visit would cost.

According to the Jan. 12 article, the average cost is \$88 for a skilled nurse visit. MVRMC's lab, whose fee is \$5, and Lab Corp, whose fee is \$5, will go to a patient's home to draw blood, and both will bill Medicare. Doesn't it make sense to save Medicare \$80 or more?

Our philosophy of home health is to empower patients to care for themselves through teaching them or family members about their illness, treatments, medication, access to care, resources, etc. The goal is to identify and manage the necessary resources to enable patients to live in their homes at their optimal levels of health. The act does not change our philosophy or goals. Our philosophy is sound and does encourage us to improve our use of resources.

BAMBI T. BRIMMER  
Twin Falls  
PATRICIA HEATH  
Eden  
Home health nurses

### Woman gives Hansen good reading

Mrs. Harris is the angel behind the library in Hansen. She gave part of her home for the use of the library. With the city of Hansen and many volunteers, we have a very good reference and fiction working library.

The library has just been remodeled, due to our Mrs. Harris. She moved into a retirement home so things would be a little easier for her and gave over her home to the library. She just had a birthday this month. I won't tell you her age, but between you and me, she's 90-some years young.

How long has the library been there? Well, I used to get books from my mother to read, and she has been gone from this world to a better place 22 years now. My mother's, my daughter's and my names are on many of the books still at the library. I understand, though, that I will soon have a number instead of using my name. Progress! When I visit out of state, people are amazed at the books I have read. They ask me how I can afford to read all the newer books. Then I tell them I get them from the library in Hansen, which is hard for them to believe. They had

better believe it!

The librarians, Linda and Helen, see to it that books for all types of good reading are kept on hand. I like good Christian stories and histories. There are also Westerns, romances, historical novels and so many other books. The library is open three afternoons a week. Though Hansen is considered a small town, there is nothing small about our library. Thanks to Mrs. Harris, our town and rural area, our volunteers and our librarians, we do have a lot to be proud of.

MARY POWELL  
Hansen

### Clinton doesn't have to explain

I would like to say a couple of things about the latest White House scandal. To Kenneth Starr: "Ye without sin cast the first stone." If I remember right from my high school government class, our founding fathers put into place a thing called checks and balances, which is supposed to distribute power if not equally among the judicial, legislative and executive branches, to close enough to make the members of these branches at least partially responsible for what goes on in and about the United States.

Therefore, if one is to hold the president up to such high moral standards, then it would also follow that all the members of these branches should be scrutinized with the same intensity. And I am afraid if one were to do this not only would we lose more than half of our political officials, both Democrat and Republican, but several of our ex-presidents, including Thomas Jefferson, who reportedly had sex with at least one of his women slaves. And could you, Kenneth Starr, hold onto your reputation and office if someone were to dig into every detail of your life, both past and present (for 5 1/2 years) with the same vengeance as you have our president?

To President Clinton: I don't think you have to explain anything to the American people because I believe that most of us are smart enough to realize not only wouldn't we, ourselves, come out of such scrutiny unblemished, but recognize a politically motivated witch hunt (which has cost us taxpayers tens of millions of dollars) when we see it.

So President Clinton, I join among the camp that believes you should let your lawyers handle the legal issues and continue to do the job that the majority of the American people had enough faith to elect you in.

MARY SINKEY  
Twin Falls

### Let's recognize drug problem

I was excited for our youth and the people of the Magic Valley when I read that KTFI was sponsoring Milton Creagh to come here in March and present his program. I watched every program that was presented on KTFI-TV, given by Milton when he was in Boise last year. He is a very compassionate man. He cares very deeply for all youth and their families. Mr. Creagh tells a story of a man who called him last spring and said, "You do not need to come here to Idaho because we have no drug problems." Wake up people; we have a big problem.

I am a retired registered nurse, and I have seen what drugs and alcohol do to our teens and young adults. These are our future leaders.

I hope and pray that all the schools will bus the school children to hear Milton. The parents need to go and listen also. The businesspeople need to get out and support this program. Our children and young adults need everyone's support. We all need to thank KTFI for making Milton Creagh's visit here possible.

J. SPRENGER  
Paul

### Public hoodwinked over wolves

Let's take a hard look at the wolf infestation program to our national treasure, Yellowstone National Park. I believe the so-called nature groups used false and misleading information to lure our citizens into thinking this was a great idea.

The only way man can balance the wolf is by killing the wolves would not leave the park because of the abundance of prey animals.

I have seldom heard of such a naïve evaluation of "wild predators." These are wolves they are talking about, not people with thought and reason. How do these ill-informed experts explain that wolves had populated our entire nation at the time when our ancestors settled this country?

No. 2: The naturalists wish to balance nature between predator and prey. The only way man can balance the artificial nature in this situation is by killing wolves. Left alone, the population of wolves will increase so drastically that the prey animals will become scarce. Remember, it's not unusual for a female wolf to bear 12 pups to a litter when food is plentiful.

No. 3: The naturalists claim the wolves will just kill the weak and sickly animals. This statement is 100 percent hogwash. A pack of wolves is the most efficient predator in the land. They are intelligent, powerful, have phenomenal endurance and teeth that cut through hamstrings on an animal's legs as cleanly as a sharp knife.

I watched a documentary where three wolves cornered a magnificent bull elk in the prime of life. They harried him until he was tired and then hamstringed both hind legs. They then proceeded to eat him alive from the rear as he could not defend himself with his antlers.

It is too bad the wolf supporters could not have witnessed the horrible pain, suffering and agony as this noble creature died a slow, gruesome death.

Having cost millions of dollars already, the problems and expenses are just beginning when you consider livestock losses, etc.

What a price to pay just to some people can hear a wolf howl. The only sane thing I have read concerning this whole fiasco is Federal Judge William Down's ruling that this project is illegal and the wolves must be removed. Also, get this: No one wants them.

Considering it's so simple to convince government administrators to bring in wild animals from another country, let's get some African lions. I love to hear them roar.

GLEN CAPPS  
Jerome

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## LETTERS

### Anti-abortionists turn hostile

State Rep. Bruce Newcomb is to be commended for his caution on the abortion issue. Kelly Walton, on the other hand, should be watched and listened to very carefully because his attack on abortion provides us a new and subtle change.

In the past, Walton has expressed outrage against abortion because abortion destroyed human life (the fetus). Now he says: "I happen to believe that saving lives and helping protect women from injury in the abortion industry is a noble cause." How very nice of him; but also, how very deceitful of him. Women are enormously better off by being able to go to a legal, medically trained abortion provider. Walton, with his primitivist religious outlook, would like to see all abortions stopped - criminalized. And what would women then face? They'd face the non-medically trained, back-alley abortionists again. The same abortionists who caused the deaths of thousands of women.

Abortion was legal in America until the mid-19th century when it was then criminalized. Women didn't make the decision to outlaw abortion. Women had no voice. It was men - religious zealots and court freaks - who forced the change. Almost 100 years would pass before abortion would be decriminalized and compared that time abortionists didn't stop. That century of illegal abortions created despair, depression, madness and suicide among women, as well as thousands of deaths of women at the hands of the well-intentioned but amateur abortionists.

Death at the hands of the amateur abortionists was not uniform among women. In comparison to black women and other minorities, white women experienced fewer deaths. They did so because white women had access to medical doctors who would abort them.

They also had access to better-skilled, non-medical abortionists. (And Walton would like to have women return to the days of criminality?)

Why is it that, in the face of America's long history of accepting abortion as a necessity and as a decision that, implicitly, belongs to women to make, do men get so hostile and controlling? Throughout the period of criminality, women asserted their need for abortion and, in so doing, asserted their sense of having a right to control their own reproduction. And because of their struggle, and with the assistance of like-thinking men, women ended a century of criminality.

JOHN WALSH  
Burley

### A warning to dog owners

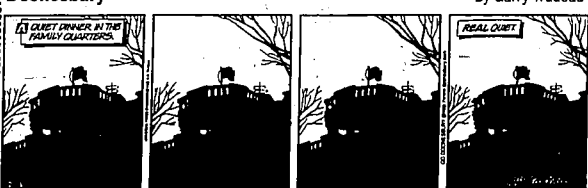
This is a warning and a lament. It is a warning that a neighbor on Highway Drive is not only threatening to shoot dogs, he is actually doing so. If you live in the vicinity and have a dog roaming freely, be aware. If your dog is missing, be concerned. I am not talking about vicious dogs.

I lament that the tranquility of our neighborhood has been shattered. No doubt dog owners have been called and warned. Does this bring you a sense of peace? Or are you awash in a panic that the dog you love and rely to contain may break free and become a target?

I don't need a lecture on legal rights. One doesn't live with a situation like this without checking with the sheriff's department. There are other rights - like consideration for one's neighbors and moral rights that surely need to be heeded.

The key is compassion. We desire it; we plead for it.  
NANCY S. LAWRENCE  
Twin Falls

### Doonesbury



### By Garry Trudeau

### Mallard Fillmore



### By Bruce Tinsley



## WORLD IN BRIEF

## Chinese refusal may stop balloon voyage

GENEVA — Negotiators tried Monday to prevent a European team's round-the-world balloon attempt from falling victim to China's refusal to let the balloon cross its airspace. Authorities in Beijing so far have rejected appeals from team officials and Swiss, Belgian and British diplomats to allow the Bretiling Orbiter 2 and its three-man crew cross southern China. If the Chinese don't relent, the balloon will have to take a long detour, leaving it without enough fuel to cross the Pacific Ocean, a spokesman at the team's Geneva control center said. "Everything depends on the Chinese," he said.

## Berlin officials confirm newly found bunker

BERLIN — A bunker discovered by workers preparing the site for Berlin's future Holocaust Memorial was used by Nazi propaganda chief Joseph Goebbels, the city's landmark preservation office confirmed Monday.

The bunker, about 50 feet west of where the Goebbels family townhouse stood, was marked as Goebbels' in old maps found in the files of the former East German secret police, said Wilfried Menghin, the Landmark Preservation chief.

The three-room, 1,000-square-foot space was opened about two weeks ago after being forgotten for decades under the no-man's land of the Berlin Wall. It had been built as a command center with office equipment and telephone lines, Menghin said.

## Little Mermaid's head restored

COPENHAGEN, Denmark — The Little Mermaid is about to resume her wistful vigil over Copenhagen's harbor, four weeks after the bronze statue's head was hacked off.

The head was reattached over the weekend and workmen were smoothing over the welding seam Monday, said city spokesman Per Langsøe Christensen.

A wooden shack erected around the statue after the Jan. 6 beheading will be removed this week, he said.

No one has been arrested for decapitating the landmark, which draws about a million visitors a year and is cherished by Danes as a national symbol. The head was returned by a hooded man who "dropped it off" at a television station three days after it was sawed off.

## GM, Korean firm form strategic alliance

SEOUL, South Korea — General Motors and South Korea's Daewoo Motor Co. have agreed to form a strategic alliance, company officials said.

Alan Perittson, president of GM Korea, and Kim Tae-gou, a Daewoo director, signed a memorandum of understanding Monday in Seoul, but said details of the alliance remain to be worked out.

The two car giants plan to "explore common interests in a wide range of business opportunities both at home and abroad," a joint statement said.

Yonhap News Agency reported that GM plans to invest in Daewoo and help the Korean company enter the U.S. market. But Daewoo officials called the report groundless.

## Briton wins case against GTECH president

LONDON — British billionaire Richard Branson won his libel lawsuit Monday against U.S. lottery chief Guy Snowden and was awarded \$192,000 in damages by a 12-member jury.

The jury deliberated less than 2 1/2 hours before ruling the head of U.S. lottery operator GTECH Corp. tried to pay off Branson in 1993 while both men were bidding to run Britain's National Lottery.

Snowden had denied any bribery attempt and accused Branson of embellishing his false story to make it more believable during the three-week trial.

## Havel sworn in for 2nd term as Czech leader

PRAGUE, Czech Republic — Vaclav Havel, sworn in Monday for a second presidential term, pledged to work toward overcoming the "negative energy" he said threatens the Czech Republic's economic and political future.

Addressing about 400 people from a balcony at Prague Castle, Havel promised to "improve the spiritual, moral and political climate in our country."

The 10-minute ceremony took place less than two weeks after Havel won re-election, barely getting the support he needed in a second-round of parliamentary voting.

Compiled from wire reports

## Passenger plane carrying 104 people missing in Philippines

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — A Philippine passenger plane carrying 104 people disappeared Monday during a descent through a mountainous region of the southern Philippines.

The pilot, who radioed minutes earlier, gave "no inkling the plane was in trouble," an official said.

A search for the Cebu Pacific Air DC-9 was suspended late Monday because of bad weather.

Air force helicopters had scuffed the plane's route over a mountainous area with peaks ranging up to 8,000 feet, but aviation official Bong Meneses said no plane was found in the most probable area.

The 110-seat plane carrying 99 passengers and five crew was declared missing after it failed to land in Cagayan de Oro, 500 miles south of Manila. There were several foreigners among the passengers, the airline's general

manager, Diego Garrido, said. Nationalities were not available.

Air transportation officials said they were checking a report that a bus driver had sighted wreckage 25 miles northeast of the plane's destination, but called the report unverified.

The plane's last radio contact with the Cagayan de Oro airport tower was at 10:48 a.m., 15 minutes before it was due to land, when the pilot said he was starting to descend.

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WORLD

# Saudis join in warning Iraq, hold back on permission to use bases

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Saudi Arabia backed the United States Monday in warning Iraq of "grave consequences" if weapons sites were not opened to U.N. inspectors.

But leaders of the oil-rich kingdom held back on assuring use of its military bases for launching an attack in the event diplomatic failed.

Prince Abdullah, filling in for ailing King Fahd, met with



Madeleine Albright said afterward.

Secretary of State Madeleine Albright for more than six hours in a lush desert retreat and saw "eye to eye" with her on Iraq's responsibility to permit unconditional inspections, she said afterward.

"I had excellent discussions with the crown prince," Albright told reporters, ticking off their shared views about the blocked inspections. "It is essential for Saddam Hussein to reverse his course and allow full and unfettered access to UNSCOM (the U.N. special commission) to any place it wishes to go, including the presidential and sensitive sites," she said.

However, she sidestepped

whether Abdullah had agreed to permit U.S. F-16 fighter bombers to take off from Saudi bases to strike at the sites or other targets.

"I did lay out some of the military issues for the crown prince," she said. "He took them all on board. He wanted to consult with members of his government. Based on my excellent discussions with the crown prince I have full trust and confidence in the Saudi government."

Abdullah and the foreign minister, Prince Saud, assured Albright they would continue the discussion through diplomatic channels. But a senior U.S. official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said, "If we had gotten a yes she would have said so" at the news conference.

On her six-day trip, which ends Tuesday with talks in Bahrain and Egypt, Albright has sought European and Arab backing for a

U.S. military attack as a last option, with mixed results.

The Saudi government issued a statement agreeing with the United States on "the necessity of total and unconditional compliance" by Iraq on inspections and on exhausting diplomatic means to resolve the crisis. Failure, the statement said, "would lead to grave consequences whose responsibilities would lie exclusively on the Iraqi regime."

## Envoys rush to Baghdad for new talks

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — With the United States pressing for support for a possible military strike, Russia, France and Islamic leaders were rushing envoys to Iraq on Monday to push for a peaceful end to the standoff over U.N. weapons inspections.

A Russian envoy spoke with President Saddam Hussein in Baghdad, leading the way among Iraq's sympathizers in pushing for a diplomatic solution.

France, Turkey, the Arab League, Jordan and Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat all launched their own peace missions and appeals to Saddam.

Envoys from Russia, France and Turkey would stress the same message, France's Foreign Ministry said: The danger would end only if Iraq gave in to U.N. demands for full access to all suspected weapons sites.

At the United Nations, Secretary-General Kofi Annan asked the Security Council to double the amount of oil Iraq can sell under an exemption to a U.N. embargo. The United States and Britain, Iraq's leading adversaries on the council, indicated they could go along with the increase for humanitarian reasons.

The step could ease tensions in the crisis.

For its part, Iraq insisted it was open to anything that would help avert attack.

"Iraq will not neglect any opportunity that will help it foil American schemes to direct a military strike against it," Foreign Minister Mohammed Saeed Al-Sahhaf told an emergency session of Iraq's National Assembly.

Iraq repeatedly has refused to allow U.N. inspectors into Saddam's palaces and other off-limits sites, drawing the American threats to attack.

The inspectors are trying to determine whether Iraq has destroyed its chemical and biological weapons programs, and a U.N. embargo imposed after the 1990 invasion of Kuwait is to stand until that and other conditions are met.

Iraqi U.N. Ambassador Niaz Hamdoun said Iraq would fax House Speaker Newt Gingrich an invitation to send a congressional delegation to one of Saddam's off-limits palaces.

"We want to allow them to make sure for themselves there are no prohibited items in those sites," Hamdoun said.

Britain said it would draft a U.N. Security Council resolution demanding that Baghdad grant the weapons inspectors "full and unrestricted access" to all sites.

The resolution could lay the foundation for military action.

## Costa Rica leader to keep former policies

SAN JOSE, Costa Rica (AP) — Public anger at a sluggish economy helped Miguel Angel Rodriguez secure a narrow victory as Costa Rica's next president.

But his remedy for the country's economic woes seems to be a stiffer dose of his predecessor's free-market medicine.

"Together we can achieve anything and now we are going to show that we can defeat the powerful enemies that now oppress us — poverty and desperation," Rodriguez told a cheering crowd Monday at a San Jose park.

Rodriguez's victory Sunday was hardly overwhelming. With 91 percent of the country's ballot boxes counted, he held a 48 to 44 percent lead over Jose Miguel Corrales of the governing National Liberation Party.

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# SPORTS

## SCORES AND STATS

### BASKETBALL

**NBA standings**

Team	W	L	Pct.
Los Angeles	21	17	.553
San Antonio	21	17	.553
Phoenix	21	17	.553
Portland	21	17	.553
Golden State	21	17	.553
Utah	21	17	.553
San Diego	21	17	.553
Seattle	21	17	.553
Denver	21	17	.553
Phoenix	21	17	.553

### ON THE AIR

#### TELEVISION

Game	Time	Channel
College basketball, Iowa at Wisconsin	5:30 p.m.	ESPN
NBA basketball, Hawks at Magic	6 p.m.	TNT
Boiling, Wilson-Lewis (heavyweights)	7 p.m.	USA
College basketball, S. Carolina at Vanderbilt	7:30 p.m.	ESPN
Figure skating, Champions on ice	7:30 p.m.	TBS
NBA basketball, Jazz at Clippers	8:30 p.m.	FSR
Snowboarding, Freestyle Tour	10:30 p.m.	ESPN

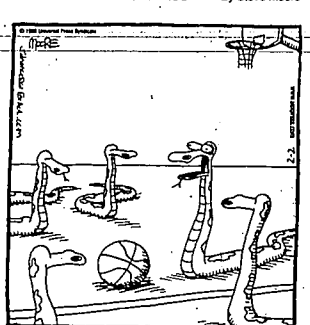
### HIGH SCHOOL SPORTS

Girls' basketball	Boys' basketball
Al, Region III tournament	Hagerman at Oakley
Milano-Burley winner at Pocahontas, 7 p.m.	Castellat at Murrough, 6 p.m.
Highland-Twin Falls vs. Malco-Burley, 7 p.m.	Richfield at TCFA, 6 p.m.
A3 Canyon Conference tournament	Dickel at Camas County, 7:30 p.m.
Glossy Ferry vs. Kimberly, 6:15 p.m.	Ketchum at Shoshone, 7:30 p.m.
Wendel-Gooding loser vs. Flax Valley, 6:30 p.m.	Hansen at Rath River, 7:30 p.m.
High school wrestling	
Jerome JV, Flax at Gooding, 6 p.m.	
Oakley at Buil JV, 7 p.m.	
High school bowling	
Kimberly vs. Wendel at Gooding	

Most regular season junior varsity basketball games begin at 6 p.m. with the varsity to follow.

### IN THE BLEACHERS

By Steve Moore



"Let's face it. Without a decent ball handler, our offense is left out of the court."

Team	W	L	Pct.
San Diego	18	14	.563
Phoenix	18	14	.563
Portland	18	14	.563
Golden State	18	14	.563
Utah	18	14	.563
San Antonio	18	14	.563
Seattle	18	14	.563
Denver	18	14	.563
Phoenix	18	14	.563

### Big West standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
San Diego	18	14	.563
Phoenix	18	14	.563
Portland	18	14	.563
Golden State	18	14	.563
Utah	18	14	.563
San Antonio	18	14	.563
Seattle	18	14	.563
Denver	18	14	.563
Phoenix	18	14	.563

### Late NBA box scores

Team	W	L	Pct.
San Diego	18	14	.563
Phoenix	18	14	.563
Portland	18	14	.563
Golden State	18	14	.563
Utah	18	14	.563
San Antonio	18	14	.563
Seattle	18	14	.563
Denver	18	14	.563
Phoenix	18	14	.563

### Men's AP poll

Team	W	L	Pct.
San Diego	18	14	.563
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Portland	18	14	.563
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SPORTS

# Raft River girls earn trip to state

By Damon Clow  
Times-News writer

MURTAUGH — A third-quarter scoring jump broke open a tight basketball game and secured a spot at the A-4 state tournament for the Raft River Trojans Monday night.

The Trojans remained undefeated in conference play with a 41-39 win over second-seeded Hagerman in the District 4 Southside girls' basketball tournament at Murtaugh High School.

Raft River will play for the conference title Saturday at 7:30 p.m., while Hagerman awaits the winner of Wednesday's Murtaugh-Castelford match. The Wolves edged Oakley, 47-43 in Monday's late loser-out game.

"This puts us in the drivers' seat," said Trojan coach Randall Spaeth, said after the berth-earning win. "But obviously, we're out here and we want to win every game we can."

Jill Smith led the Trojans with 12 points and Brooke Hansen added 11 as the two seniors combined to take over the scoring during the second quarter. The Trojans extended a 26-26 tie into an eight-point advantage in just under five minutes of play.

Cumille Karrels had 11 points

to lead Hagerman.

"We knew they'd try to take Brooke away from us, and they did," Spaeth said. "But we're a versatile enough team to where we can take advantage of other things."

Hansen created the pace early for Raft River, grabbing backboard steals and, along with Holly Durington, converting them into four points for a 5-2 lead.

"I think we did a good job on (Hansen)," Hagerman coach Jason Warr said. "The problem is, when you focus on her, you still have four other people out there."

Forced to take the outside shot, the Pirates got a 3-pointer from Jessica White to pull within 9-6 with three and a half minutes to play. Two buckets in the paint from Smith had the Trojan lead up to five a minute later.

"They're tough to match up with," Warr said. "Especially the Smith girls (Jill and Kim) — they're real physical. Maybe with a little more oomf, we get a few more rebounds and we win the game."

A long two-pointer from Hagerman's Katie Martin and a lay-up and free throw from Jelinda Knight tied the game with 30 seconds left in the period, but Hansen and Tara Lee each

scored in the final half-minute to retake the lead for Raft River.

Todays Hansen scored six of her team's eight second-quarter points while her older sister went scoreless and the Trojans kept a two-point lead at the half. Raft River opened the second half by holding Hagerman to just five points in eight minutes.

The third quarter has been a problem for us," Warr said. "The girls are ready, but they've got to get some fire under them."

A Carrie Osborne 3-pointer cut the Trojan lead to 36-35 with 4:20 left in the game, but Hagerman missed its last five attempts from beyond the arc and could not capitalize on Raft River's sketchy free-throw shooting down the stretch. The Trojans shot five of 14 attempts from the line overall, while Hagerman hit half of its 12 attempts.

## Castelford 47, Oakley 43

MURTAUGH — Kaitie Ruffing and Jacklyn Burgess accounted for all seven of the game's 3-pointers as Castelford stayed afloat with a 47-43 win over Oakley.

In a physical fourth quarter, the Hornets hit just one of 10 free-throw attempts and were left 9-6 at 2:26 overall. They led after

one quarter but Castelford had opened a 21-16 lead at halftime.

Oakley closed it to 26-25 and later to 29-27, but both times the Wolves' duo came through with the long ball.

Kristen Hardy, who led Oakley with 15 points, hit an old-fashioned three-point play as her team closed to 41-39 after trailing by six points just moments before.

Burgess nailed a 3-pointer with 1:40 left in the game to go up 44-39, and the 5-foot-5 junior hit two late free throws to pad the victory.

**Full final:** Hagerman 30; Raft River 41. Hagerman 10-25 Shooting 10-25; Rebounds 11-21; Free Throws 10-12; Points in Paint 20-20; Turnovers 14-14; Fouls 14-14. Castelford 47; Oakley 43. Castelford 15-25 Shooting 15-25; Rebounds 20-20; Turnovers 14-14; Fouls 14-14. Hagerman 30; Raft River 41. Hagerman 10-25 Shooting 10-25; Rebounds 11-21; Free Throws 10-12; Points in Paint 20-20; Turnovers 14-14; Fouls 14-14.

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# Collins-less Pistons fall to Washington

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON — For the Detroit Pistons, life without Doug Collins is supposed to mean no more tension, no more frustration. On Monday night, it meant no more defense.

On the day they fired the coach with the intense, confrontational style, the Pistons gave their most loss in a game this season in a 113-101 loss to the Washington Wizards.

**Heat 90, Hawks 83**  
MIAMI — Alonzo Mourning had 22 points and a season-high 17 rebounds for Miami, which played without forward P.J. Brown.

Brown sat out his one-game suspension for leaving the bench during a scuffle in Miami's 89-83 loss to the Knicks on Sunday.

**Cavs 109, T'wolves 99**  
CLEVELAND — Rookie Cedric Henderson scored a season-high 24 points and rookie Zydrunas Ilavskus had 19.

Henderson, one of four Cavs selected to play in this weekend's rookie game during NBA All-Star Weekend in New York, scored 17 first-quarter points on 5-of-7 shooting.

Ilavskus added 10 rebounds and All-Star forward Shawn Kemp had 16 points and 12 rebounds for the



Cavs.

## Suns 106, 76ers 97

PHILADELPHIA — Rex Chapman scored 29 points at Phoenix won its third straight road game.

Antoni Davis had 22 points and 13 rebounds and Steve Nash added 17 points for the Suns, who are 4-1 on their current seven-game road trip. Allen Iverson had 30 points and seven assists and Jim Jackson added 22 points for the 76ers.

## Bulls 111, Nuggets 72

DENVER — Scottie Pippen scored 19 points and Scott Burrell added 21 — all in the fourth quarter — as Chicago Bulls bounced back from its worst loss this season.

The Bulls, playing their fifth game in seven days and coming off a 25-point loss to the Los Angeles Lakers on Sunday, appeared lethargic but were still too much for the NBA's worst team.

Denver, which shot just 35 percent, was led by Johnny Newman, who came off the bench to score 19.

## Mavs 104, Grizzlies 90

DALLAS AP — Michael Finley scored 30 points and Dallas beat Vancouver for the third time this season.

One-third of Dallas' nine wins this season have come against Vancouver, which has dropped 17 of 20.

# Rams butt Bruins into losers' bracket

## Filer, Wendell win opening games of Canyon Conference tourney

The Times-News

POCATELLO — Highland beat up on Twin Falls in the opening round of the A-1 District IV girls' basketball tournament Monday and claims a 48-33 victory.

Twin Falls stayed close to the Rams in the first quarter, but Highland took over in the second. The Rams outscored the Bruins 16-7 to take an 11-point advantage into the locker room.

Twin Falls got hot in the third, and had closed the gap to seven, when Highland got hot again.

"We lost due to our inability to score from the outside," said Twin Falls coach Lawrence Pfeiffer.

Twin Falls falls into the losers' bracket and will square off with the Bobcats in Burley tonight.

**Highland 48, Twin Falls 33**  
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## High school basketball

### A-3, District 4

#### Filer 53, Valley 23

#### Wendell 42, Gooding 33

#### FILER — The Wildcats

taught the Vikings to "Fear the Roar" as the roared to a 53-23 win in girls' A-3 District basketball action Monday night.

Filer's Kallie Coon led all scorers with 16 points to help her Wildcats to the opening round victory.

Filer moves on to play Wendell on Wednesday.

The Trojans advanced by beating Gooding 42-33. Gooding and Valley square off tonight in a losers-out competition.

**Wendell 42, Gooding 33**  
Wendell 15-25 Shooting 15-25; Rebounds 20-20; Turnovers 14-14; Fouls 14-14. Gooding 33; Wendell 42. Gooding 10-25 Shooting 10-25; Rebounds 11-21; Free Throws 10-12; Points in Paint 20-20; Turnovers 14-14; Fouls 14-14.

## Boys

### Wendell 65, Buhl 60

WENDELL — The Trojans hit a stunning 32 of 40 free throw attempts, which accounted for nearly half of their points in a 65-60 win over the Buhl Indians Monday.

Zack King had 19 points and 12 rebounds and was 11-for-13 from the line.

"They're playing good basketball and shooting the ball well," Wendell coach Allen Kelsey said of the Indians. "Obviously shooting that many more free throws was a big key."

Wendell (14-5) travels to Glenns Ferry Friday and hosts Kimberly Saturday.

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## Hagerman 46, Shoshone 31

HAGERMAN — The hometown Pirates beat Shoshone 46-31 in a non-conference boys' basketball matchup Monday night.

The game was neck and neck until, with three minutes left in regulation, Hagerman went on an 11-run.

Hagerman squares off with the Hornets in Oakley tonight, while Shoshone hosts the Ketchum Cutthroats.

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## Bird heads nominees

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. (AP) — Larry Bird, a star on both the college and NBA levels, was among eight players and three coaches to be nominated today for the Basketball Hall of Fame.

Bird, the national college player of the year in 1978 and a three-time NBA MVP and a member of the league's 50th anniversary all-time team, was one of four first-time nominees among the players, but the only one who made it in his first year of eligibility.

Other first-time nominees were Adrian Dantley and Chet Walker,

who had successful careers in both college and the NBA, and Marques Haynes, who entertained millions as the ballhandling wizard of the Harlem Globetrotters.

Nominated again as players were Larry Bird, an NBA all-star in half of his 12 seasons; Artis Gilmore, one of the stars who played in both the ABA and NBA; Gus Johnson, considered one of the best power forwards in NBA history; and Sidney Moncrief, the guard credited with making the Milwaukee Bucks one of the best NBA teams of the '80s.

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# Duke, Heels ready for showdown

The Associated Press

Duke and North Carolina held the top two spots in The Associated Press' college basketball poll Monday, setting up a No. 1 vs. No. 2 matchup this week.

The Blue Devils (20-1), who stayed in the No. 1 spot for the third straight week, will play at North Carolina (22-1) on Thursday night in the 14th meeting of the top two teams since 1980.

The last 1-2 matchup was Kentucky's win over No. 1 Massachusetts in the 1996 Final Four. The last regular-season matchup was between Duke and North Carolina on Feb. 3, 1994, an 89-78 victory for the second-ranked Tar Heels.

Duke received 54 first-place votes and 1,734 points from the national media panel, 41 more than North Carolina, which was No. 1 on 16 ballots.

The end of Stanford and Utah's perfect seasons last week caused a shakeup in the rest of the Top Ten. Kansas moved up two places to third, the same jump Arizona made to fourth.

Utah, which had won its first 18

## Polls - B2

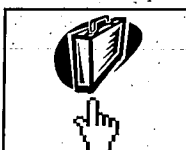
games until losing at New Mexico on Sunday, dropped from third to fifth.

Both UCLA and Connecticut moved up two places to sixth and seventh, while Kentucky, which lost at home to Florida on Sunday, dropped one spot to eighth.

Stanford, which started the season 18-0, lost home games to Arizona and Arizona State last week, and fell from fourth to ninth. Purdue again rounded out the Top Ten.

For the third straight week, Princeton led the Second Ten and was followed by New Mexico,

South Carolina, Arkansas, West Virginia, Michigan State, Mississippi, Michigan, Syracuse and Cincinnati.



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# COMICS

**Peanuts**  
By Charles M. Schulz

IF YOU'RE THE THIRD CHILD IN A FAMILY, AND YOUR BROTHER AND SISTER ARE DEFINITELY WEIRD, I WONDER IF IT'S POSSIBLE FOR THAT THIRD CHILD TO DEVELOP AN IMMUNITY TO ALL THE UNFORTUNATE THINGS THAT OCCUR IN A FAMILY TO THAT INNOCENT THIRD CHILD WHO...

SO MUCH FOR IMMUNITY.

**Dilbert**  
By Scott Adams

MY NEW POLICY IS TO DISCRIMINATE AGAINST SINGLE PEOPLE. IT'S TOTALLY LEGAL!

WRITE YOUR MARITAL STATUS ON THIS LIST, SO I KNOW WHO HAS NO REASON TO GO HOME AT NIGHT.

DANG! WHAT ARE THE ODDS YOU'D ALL BE POLYGAMISTS?

**R.C.**  
By Johnny Hart

THIS ONE SAYS: "READ MY LIPS, NO NEW TAXES."

THIS ONE SAYS: "THE ERA OF BIG GOVERNMENT IS OVER."

INTUITIONS REPAIRED

**Garfield**  
By Jim Davis

SAVORING THE MOMENT

ODIE DANTS 2-3

**Hi and Lois**  
By Chance Browne

7 A.M. YIPPEE! WE'RE SNOWBOUND!

YEA! THERE'S SCHOOL!

8 A.M. WE'RE BORED! WHERE'S THE SNOWPLOW?

2-3 CHANCE BROWNE

**The Wizard of Id**  
By Brant Parker & Johnny Hart

I AM NOW GOING TO REAP TOY THE MIRANDA LAW!

WHAT, EXACTLY, IS THE MIRANDA LAW?

NO ONE CAN SHOUT CHA-CHA-CHA ON A CROWDED DANCE FLOOR.

**Hagar the Horrible**  
By Chris Browne

WHY DON'T YOU EVER TALK TO ME ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS?

YOU WANT TO HEAR ABOUT MY BUSINESS? TELL ME ABOUT YOUR BUSINESS...

BUSINESS IS TERRIBLE! BUSINESS IS ROTTEN! BUSINESS IS UNBELIEVABLY BAD!

2-3

**Beetle Bailey**  
By Mort Walker

HOW ABOUT YOU AND ME SLIPPING OUT FOR A BEER OR TWO?

SORRY, I'M ON DUTY

I HATE DOG SHOWS

NO PETTING

2-3

**Frank and Ernest**  
By Bob Thaves

WHAT MADE YOU THINK YOU COULD WRITE OFF YOUR ENTIRE SALARY AS A BAD INVESTMENT?

BECAUSE THAT'S WHAT MY BOSS CALLS IT.

THAVES 2-3

**The Born Loser**  
By Art Sansom & Chip

LOOK AT ALL THE CARDS AT OUR FEEDER!

HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THEM GO AFTER THE BIRDSEED LIKE THAT?

WILDBERFORCE PUT OUT HOT COCON FOR THEM!

2-3

**For Better or For Worse**  
By Lynn Johnston

IT'S HER HEART AGAIN, ISN'T IT?

SHE HAS NO ENERGY. GO AWAY, BREATHE.

THEY'VE DONE EVERYTHING THEY CAN DO.

IS MOM IN THE HOSPITAL?

NO, SHE'S AT HOME. I'VE BEEN WORKING ON A CARE OF HER.

STRANGE - I THOUGHT I WASN'T DOING BADLY!

**Blondie**  
By Dean Young & Stan Drake

HERE'S A NICE HANDKERCHIEF. I DON'T HAVE ANOTHER ONE.

SCOOT! IT'S IN THERE DOES THE REMINDER FROM THAT PECKY BILL COLLECTOR!

AT THE COTTAGE IT SAYS: "IDA PRIDE UP BY NOW IF IDA BEEN YOU"

**Pickles**  
By Brian Crane

WHACK! WHACK! WHACK! WHACK! WHACK!

HOW MANY STROKES, STEVE?

THREE.

THREE? I THOUGHT I HEARD SIX.

THREE WERE ECHOES.

**Dennis the Menace**  
By Hank Ketcham

STAYING BUNDLED UP MAKES MY MOM FEEL WARM ALL OVER.

**The Family Circus**  
By Bil Keane

"Peanuts" is a classic. I remember seeing it when I was about 3."

## Women buttered their hair

There are professional chess players who include roadwork, swimming and weight lifting in their pre-match training regimens.

Men are better at reading maps, generally, but women are better giving directions. Researchers who so aver talk about "spatial skills" and "verbal skills" and stuff like that.

In any group of 23 people, chances are 50-50 two will share the same birthday.

Q. You said women who marry younger men live longer. Does that mean the younger the man, the longer the woman lives?

A. No, if the man is more than 14 years younger, the statistics don't hold.

Q. How do I build a classic light?

A. First, shape it with snow from the same snowfall. Then, with door black pulled shut, light an oil lamp inside. As its heat melts interior snow, walls wick moisture to the exterior where it ices over. Next, bend and push of hole, and push open the door black. Warm air escapes

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A. Only 5 to 6 feet. What keeps the tree from falling is how widely the roots spread. Over an acre. Each redwood is anchored on its own platform of roots.

Tom Parker's advice to first-time buyers of speakers: "The smaller the speaker, the weaker the bass."

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## HOROSCOPE Sydney Omar

IF FEBRUARY 3 IS YOUR BIRTHDAY, you are forward-looking, versatile in your game. You are curious concerning other lands and travel. Your sense of humor ingratiates you to people in all walks of life. Gemini, Sagittarius persons figure in many of your activities.

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**MONDAY'S PUZZLE SOLVER**

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2. Old-time GI
3. Sidelined
4. Oodles
5. Elm City
6. Divided nation
7. Crude person
8. Natural satellite
9. Penitence
10. Interlock
11. Voiced wonder
12. Infected patches of skin
13. Ultimatum
14. Words
15. Chirrup
16. Capital of China
17. Tended lots
18. Across facial
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2. By oneself
3. Instruments
4. Water channel
5. Neighbor of Iran
6. Try to win over
7. Lettermen
8. Disposition
9. Downhill racer
10. Reduce the volume of
11. Creative skill
12. Colorful mound
13. Gal of song
14. Monk's hood
15. Car booster
16. Dashed state
17. Balkan capital
18. Flaky, layered rock
19. Consumed
20. Snare
21. Creepier
22. Theaters
23. Longevity ball
24. Polka fun
25. Long-tongued mammal
26. Fee for service
27. Gal support
28. Foes
29. Lapse
30. Bazaar of
31. Puppets
32. Pension acct.
33. Twisting device



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AROUND  
THE VALLEY

## Glenns Ferry to vote

## today on improvements

GLENN'S FERRY - Glenns Ferry voters will decide today whether to issue up to \$1 million in revenue bonds to help pay for improvements to the municipal water system.

City residents 18 or older may cast their votes from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. at Glenns Ferry City Hall.

New voters may register at the polling place by providing identification and proof of at least 30 days' residency in Glenns Ferry.

If approved, the bonds will mature at about a 6 percent interest rate for up to 30 years. All revenues would be used to improve the town's water disinfection system, upgrade some existing water mainlines and construct a new 500,000-gallon storage tank.

If approved, the bonds also will be used as matching funds for potential state grants and loans totaling \$1.2 million.

North Shoshone residents  
to decide bond issue

SHOSHONE - North Shoshone residents will decide today whether they want to pay for new firefighting equipment.

The Wood River Rural Fire District is proposing a \$50,000, five-year bond issue to update its trucks. Voting booths are open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Magic Grange Hall just north of Johnny's Country Store on Idaho Highway 75.

Wood River board member Larry Kerner said he wasn't sure how much the bond issue would cost the average homeowner but said, "It won't be too much."

Kerner said the improvements are needed because the area's population has boomed over the past two years.

"It came on us all at once," he said. "Two years ago, there was nothing out here. Now there's 30 new homes."

The fire district owns three trucks, Kerner said. Two are stored in town, and a third tanker is stored at Braup's General Store six miles northwest of Shoshone.

Kerner said the bond issue will require a two-thirds majority to pass.

Workshop on dairy waste  
disposal continues today

TWIN FALLS - A four-day workshop on land disposal of dairy wastes continues today, starting with a visit to two Jerome dairies.

Today's program begins at 8 a.m. at the Weston Plaza Hotel, 1350 Blue Lakes Blvd. in Twin Falls, with visits to the C Bar M Dairy and Rainbow Dairy, both in Jerome. The session will reconvene at the Weston Plaza after lunch.

The workshop is part of the state Department of Agriculture. The department will use what it learns to develop a policy for spreading solid and liquid dairy manure on farmlands.

The department will not set any policy during the meetings, which are meant to educate department personnel, said Mary Patten, chief of the department's Dairy Bureau.

The Ketchup is open to the public and continues through Thursday, starting at 8 a.m. each day.

Nitrate levels of groundwater  
rise in areas of Mini-Cassia

BURLEY - The level of nitrates in the groundwater under some of the Mini-Cassia area has been rising, says a recent government report.

The U.S. Geological Survey has found that nitrates in the groundwater in the A&B Irrigation District have increased from 1980 to 1995.

The upward trend continues, groundwater in the area could exceed federal drinking water standards in 10 to 15 years.

High levels of nitrates in drinking water can lead to blue-baby syndrome, in which the nitrates reduce the blood's ability to carry oxygen - a condition known as methemoglobinemia. Nitrates also may be implicated in high incidence cases of pro-Hodgkin's lymphoma, the USGS says.

The study reports that the nitrates may be from nitrogen-fixing crops, such as alfalfa and beans, and from excess fertilizer leached into the ground by excess irrigation water.

The report and maps that show areas of high probability for contamination are available from the USGS at 800-435-7527.

Ask for Open-File Report 97-820, "Nitrate in Ground Water of the Upper Snake River Basin, Idaho and Western Wyoming, 1991-95."

Compiled from staff reports

## Hospital inquiry sparks healthy discussion

By Pat Marcantonio  
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS - Is Magic Valley Regional Medical Center for sale or lease? An unidentified "major" nonprofit hospital system wants to know.

Despite the vagueness of the inquiry, a healthy debate ensued Monday

evening among board members about whether the county hospital can and should continue on its own in light of a changing health-care industry.

Administrator John Bingham said he had received two telephone calls recently from the chief executive officer of a hospital in a major nonprofit system, asking whether the board and county commissioners are interested in selling

or leasing the hospital to the system.

The county requested the company name not be released to the public. Dr. Craig Bennett, the board chairman, would only say the system has a "high caliber reputation."

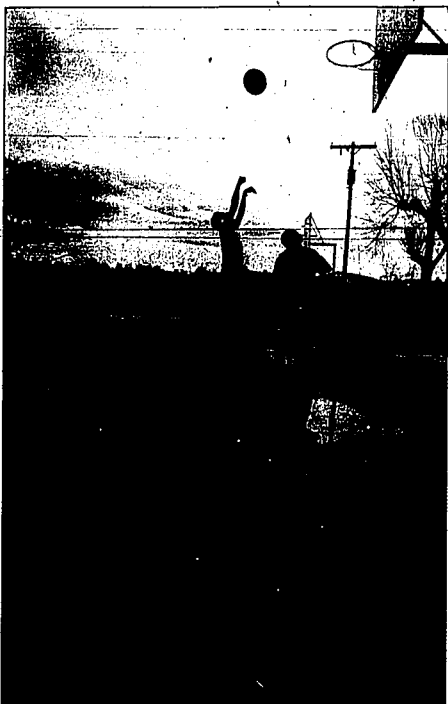
This was the first time the hospital has been approached with such an inquiry, said Bingham, a longtime hospital veter-

Because of the importance of the issue - which was not on the meeting's agenda - it should be raised in the public meeting, Bennett said. And the board has to take its direction from the Twin Falls County commissioners to pursue the inquiry, he said.

Dennis Maughan, the only commis-

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## PUDDLE PLAY



Marco Sahagun shoots the basketball over Roberto Martinez in a friendly game of one-on-one Monday in Twin Falls, despite a few puddles left from an overnight rain.

DAVID ORTEGA/The Times-News

## Smile, you're on cop camera: Police to receive equipment

By William Brock  
Times-News writer

TWIN FALLS - Smile if you're a lawbreaker, because you may soon be on camera.

Twin Falls police got a green light from the City Council Monday to spend a \$50,088 federal grant on more video cameras for patrol cars - and an unobtrusive surveillance camera to keep an eye on problem areas.

## Meeting set

The City Council will hold a special meeting today to update the city's strategic plan and develop goals for the coming year.

The meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. in the White House, at 385 Blue Lakes Blvd. N. Anyone who wants to attend is welcome.

The council also gave its blessing for

Western Days to be held in City Park on May 29-31. The event has almost outgrown the park, council members said, suggesting that an alternate site be found next year.

City police are excited to get the new video cameras because raw footage of criminal activity is highly entertaining - and effective - when used as evidence in court.

"It's hard to argue and contradict video," Officer Brian Pike told the

him at about 1:30 a.m. Jan. 8 at a Hazleton house he was helping to clean up and paint.

Hicks said he thought at the time he was alone in the house, though he later learned that a man the deputies were seeking was asleep in a back bedroom.

The deputies stood outside the front door and asked to speak with the couple living in the house, Hicks said.

"I was being civil; I was being cooperative," he said.

Hicks said he continued talking to the deputies until one of them began swearing at him.

"I told them, 'I'm not going to listen to this.'"

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## Man charges deputy harassment

By Mark Heinz  
Times-News writer

HAZELTON - An Eden man, who claims he was verbally abused and shamed by Jerome County Sheriff's deputies, has filed a complaint with the sheriff's department.

Jerome County Sheriff Jim Weaver said Monday that he was aware of a complaint filed Jan. 14 by William Earnest Hicks, 42. But the case is a personal matter not open to the public, Weaver said. There will be an internal investigation of Hicks' allegations against the deputies, he said.

Hicks said two deputies confronted

council.

The U.S. Department of Justice grant will buy four more cameras for patrol cars, plus an all-weather "stake-out" camera that can be hidden outdoors for surreptitious filming. City police have used a similar, state-owned camera for filming drug activity, Hicks said.

The federal grant also will pay for

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## Black greatly outspends Fox in campaign

By Liz Wright  
Times-News writer

BOISE - After a year of hard work and campaigning, Ron Black has spent much of the \$10,844 he put into running for state schools superintendent - \$10,000 of which is his own money. By contrast, his opponent, incumbent Anne Fox, has spent only \$353.

Saturday was the deadline for legislators and statewide candidates to file their campaign finance disclosure reports for November and December. Black said he is underwhelmed by the disparity between his and his opponent's spending.

"I feel good about it," Black said. "When you start right now we've had good support from across the spectrum. We still have a way to go now." Here is a list of those who have submitted their reports so far:



Ron Black



Anne Fox

## Campaign finances

	Money taken in (including candidates' own money)	Money spent
<b>Candidates for state schools superintendent:</b>		
Incumbent Anne Fox	\$0	\$353
Ron Black, R-Twin Falls	\$10,844	\$7,483
Ryan Kertley, New Plymouth School District superintendent	\$12,027	\$13,114
<b>Legislators' reports</b>		
James Harshbarger, Blaine School District superintendent	\$3,983	\$3,983
Marilyn Hansen, Moscow elementary school teacher	\$3,682	\$2,372
Richard Adams, Kootenai high school teacher	\$0	\$0

## Legislators' reports

	Money taken in (including candidates' own money)	Money spent
<b>Legislators submitted the following reports:</b>		
Rep. Dan Jones, R-Mountain Home	\$0	\$0
Rep. David Smith, R-Boise	\$777	\$2,995
Rep. Mark Smith, R-Idaho Falls	\$0	\$0
Rep. Bruce Newkirk, R-Burley	\$580	\$2,933
Rep. Jim Kempter, R-Idaho Falls	\$113	\$1,556
Rep. Mark Smith, R-Idaho Falls	\$0	\$0
Rep. David Smith, R-Boise	\$100	\$174
Rep. Tim Hightower, R-Idaho Falls	\$0	\$0
Rep. Bruce Newkirk, R-Burley	\$580	\$2,933
Sen. John Sandoz, R-Idaho Falls	\$1,717	\$2,475
Sen. Chris Stansbury, D-Kootenai	\$0	\$0
Sen. John Sandoz, R-Idaho Falls	\$0	\$0
Sen. Bruce Newkirk, R-Burley	\$580	\$2,475
Sen. Nicki Rival, R-Idaho Falls	\$1,250	\$1,507
Rep. Dan Jones, R-Mountain Home	\$0	\$0

Ketchum's KECH  
buys Hailey's KSKIBy Steve Crump  
Times-News writer

SUN VALLEY - One Blaine County radio station has bought out the other one.

Alpine Broadcasting Co., which operates KECH in Ketchum, on Monday announced the purchase of Hailey's KSKI, which is owned by state Sen. Clint Stennett, D-Ketchum.

"KSKI will be a great station for us," Scott Parker, KECH owner and station manager, said in a news release. "His performance has been excellent and I intend to further that success using the combined resources of both stations."

Parker would not disclose the purchase price, nor would he say whether there would be changes at either station. But he plans to move KSKI's studio into an expanded KECH facility at the Northwest Business Center in Ketchum.

Stennett said he'll continue to operate cable television channels 13 and 14, as well as other cable advertising businesses.

"Get TV has been expanding so fast that we need to devote our entire attention to it," Stennett said. "Scott can now focus his attention on the radio stations."

Transactions of this kind are part of a

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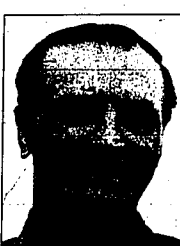


## MAGIC VALLEY

## OBITUARIES

For obituary rates and information, call 733-0931, ext. 278, between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays or ext. 252 between 2 and 8 p.m. Saturdays. Deadline is 4:30 p.m. for next-day publication. Death notices are a free service and can be placed until 5 p.m. every day.

## HANSEN



## Jerald W. Keller

Jerald W. "Jerry" Keller, 62, of Hansen, died Sunday morning, Feb. 8, 1998, at the Twin Falls Clinic & Hospital following a short illness.

Jerry was born Sept. 24, 1935, in Arco, to Earl and Laura Louise Keller. He grew up and attended schools in Arco, graduating from Butte County High School in 1953. He entered the U.S. Navy in 1955, and he was honorably discharged in 1959. For most of his life, Jerry was a salesman. He worked selling auto parts, fueller brushes and Yamaha parts. He then became service manager with the Ken Bratney Co. in Twin Falls, servicing milling and processing equipment, working there until his death. Jerry enjoyed fishing, camping, hunting and loved the outdoors. He had a great sense of humor, loved telling jokes and especially loved people and parties.

Surviving Jerry are his wife, Debra June Tonihaka Keller of Hansen; sons, Michael Keller of Washington, Scott (Lisa) Keller, David Strapp and Kyle Keller, all of Hansen; his daughters, Gloria E. Keller of Ketchum, Kathleen Christine (Denver) Jennings of Arco, Audrey Tonihaka and Rachael Ray, both of Hansen; two brothers, Ronald Keller of Arco and Steve (Joanna) Keller of Moore; four sisters, Dana Greene of Rexburg, Dixie (Lou) Boardall of Arco, Christine (Denver) Jennings of Arco and Patty (Kevin) Anderson of Oregon; three grandsons and two granddaughters. Jerry was preceded in death by his mother and by a daughter, Lisa K. Keller.

A memorial service will take place at 4 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 12, 1998, at St. Edwards Catholic Church with Father Robb Keller celebrating. Cremation will precede the service. Private inurnment will take place at Sunset Memorial Park. The service is under the direction of Reynolds Funeral Chapel in Twin Falls.

## TWIN FALLS

## Retta Mae Page

Retta Mae Page, 97, of Twin Falls, died Saturday, Jan. 31, 1998. She was born Sept. 30, 1900, in Parsons, Kan., to William Michael and Ivaz Gottschalk. Retta's family meant much to her because of an innate fear of being left alone. That fear was alleviated by needed support, when in her early adult years she experienced the pain of seeming abandonment by two of those she had come to love. She attended grammar school in Angola, Kan., and high school in Atlanta about 10 miles away, traveling there either by horse and buggy or by train. At the age of 18, she began teaching in the Angola Grade School and then moved to Pittsburgh, Kan., for college in the summer, receiving a life teaching certificate in 1923. Because of lung problems, Retta was advised by her doctor to move west. She came to Doclo in 1924 to live with her sister, Flora McCartney, and resumed teaching near Rupert. She married James A. Page on May 23, 1927, in Atlanta. James, Jimmy was an auto mechanic and an electrician. They lived for a while in Dillon, Mont., near his parents, a short time in Idaho Falls, and then about 15 years in Pocatello, where Retta was actively involved during World War II sewing for the American Red Cross. She joined Eastern Star in Pocatello and served as worthy matron of her chapter, here in Twin Falls. For a short time,

they lived in Ketchum, and she resumed teaching there. In about 1952, they moved to Twin Falls where Jimmy started his own electrical business and pursued his interests in photography and playing Ratta. Ratta was an active member of the Methodist Church in Twin Falls. There were always one or more people in the Page household. After Jimmy passed away on April 15, 1984, Ratta received much consolation from her pets. A very special one appeared at her door when she was recuperating from a broken hip. The cat, Kallio, would sit on her lap a lot and reach up and put her front legs around Ratta's neck. Hospitalization after the broken hip resulted in a fall forced a separation from this loved pet. Yearning for companionship dominated her last lonely years as sight failed and hearing became difficult. Her caregivers and a few friends, including this writer, tried but in large measure failed to help this need. She very much appreciated any loving attention given and from people she loved.

Ratta is survived by no known relatives. She was preceded in death by her husband, a sister, Flora McCartney, a brother, John Raymond Kern, and two brothers who died before she was born. A funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, 1998, at White Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. James Fretwell officiating. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial will take place at Sunset Memorial Park.



## Dr. Larry Dale Maxwell

Dr. Larry Dale Maxwell, 52, of Twin Falls, adoring and loving husband, died Saturday, Jan. 31, 1998, in Sun Valley.

He was born Oct. 20, 1945, to Boyd and Bortha Maxwell in Cincinnati, Ohio. He grew up and received his primary school education in Akron, Ohio. He earned the rank of Eagle Scout and many other honors during his scouting years. He received his bachelor of science degree from Colorado College in Colorado Springs, Colo., and his doctor of medicine from Ohio State, graduating in 1971. He performed his residency at Walter Reed Army Medical Center where he was chief resident. In 1975, he received an honorary discharge from military service after serving at Fort Hood in San Antonio, Texas, achieving the rank of major/chieft of ENT. At that time, he moved to Idaho. He married Kathleen in Twin Falls on Oct. 2, 1982. Dr. Maxwell was a partner/physician and surgeon with the Grefenon Clinic in Twin Falls. He was board certified O.R.L. with American Board of Otolaryngology; his professional societies included American Academy of Otolaryngology, American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery and American College of Surgeons. He currently was otologic consultant for the Idaho School for the Deaf and Blind, instructor ACLS with Magic Valley Regional Medical Center; member of Ambulatory Surgery Center with American Academy of Facial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery, surveyor with Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care; past president of Doctors Park Medical Group and co-founder of The Surgery Center in Twin Falls. He was a past Paul Harris Fellow with Twin Falls Rotary Club of which he was a member from 1980 to 1993.

He was honored with American Medical Association Physician's Recognition Award from 1976 to the present. He was currently a member of South Central Idaho Medical Society, Idaho Medical Association, American Society of Outpatient Surgeons and Prosper Moniere Society. He had a passion for medicine and often gave of his time, skills and love to work for children in need of medical attention. His family and he had the means to pay. He was a fun-loving man, loved good food and good wine, enjoyed skiing, hunting, traveling and had a very keen interest in history. He thoroughly enjoyed entertaining and entertaining friends, especially when he could use his barbecue in the process. He loved his family very much and was generous with his time, talents and love.

Survivors include his wife, Borth,

and daughter, Elly, both of Twin Falls; his mother, Bortha Maxwell, of Sun City, Fla.; a sister, Nancy, and husband, Dan Emmons of Monomono Falls, Wis.; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father. A funeral for Dr. Maxwell will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1998, at the United Methodist Church with the Rev. James Fretwell officiating. Burial will follow at the Twin Falls Cemetery. Friends may call from 5 to 8 p.m. today at White Mortuary in Twin Falls. The family suggests contributions may be made to the Dr. Larry Maxwell Memorial Trust for disadvantaged children. In care of First Security Bank, P.O. Box 7, Twin Falls, ID 83303-0007.

## GLENN'S FERRY



## Ruby V. Shillito

Ruby V. Colman Stubbs Shillito, 80, of Glenn's Ferry and formerly of Richfield, went to join our Lord on Saturday, Jan. 31, 1998, at the Gooding County Memorial Hospital after a lingering illness.

Ruby was born on Oct. 6, 1917, in Thomsville, Mo., to Edna and Francis Isaac and Lucy Mabel Bowdrie Maxwell. She attended schools in Washington and graduated from the Winona High School. She married Jack Lott on Sept. 3, 1935, in Winona, Wash., and he preceded her in death in 1978. She and her husband owned and operated the Oasis Cafe and Market in Richfield for several years. Ruby was a sales lady for Mary Kay products and grocery store donors. Following retirement, she moved to Heyburn and has since resided there for the past 30 years. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Burial Evergreen Chapter 46, Burial in the Gooding County Memorial Hospital. She was also a member of the American Church.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Doo and husband Herman Cough of Burley; a sister, Ethel Wendover of El Centro, Calif.; six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, three brothers and a sister. A memorial service will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1998, at the Burley United Methodist Church with Pastor Stephen Ross officiating. Order of the Eastern Star services are under the direction of the Burley Evergreen Chapter 46. Burial will follow at the Riverside Cemetery in Heyburn. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Hansen Mortuary Chapel. Friends who wish may make memorials to the American Heart Association or the American Diabetes Association.

## Mabel Lott

Mabel Lott, 80-year-old Heyburn resident, died Saturday, January 31, 1998, at the home of her daughter in Burley. She was born July 5, 1917, in Winona, Wash., the daughter of Francis Isaac and Lucy Mabel Bowdrie Maxwell. She attended schools in Washington and graduated from the Winona High School. She married Jack Lott on Sept. 3, 1935, in Winona, Wash., and he preceded her in death in 1978. She and her husband owned and operated the Oasis Cafe and Market in Richfield for several years. Ruby was a sales lady for Mary Kay products and grocery store donors. Following retirement, she moved to Heyburn and has since resided there for the past 30 years. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Burial Evergreen Chapter 46, Burial in the Gooding County Memorial Hospital. She was also a member of the American Church.

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## SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

## Peggy J. Crapo

Peggy Joy McCandless Crapo returned to the loving arms of her Father in Heaven Friday, Jan. 30, 1998, in Salt Lake City, Utah. Peggy was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, daughter and friend to many. She was born May 22, 1950, in Lynwood, Calif., to Donald and Hazel McCandless. She married L. Bruce Crapo on Jan. 15, 1972, in Orem, Utah. The marriage was subsequently solemnized in the Provo LDS Temple. Peggy was a talented and beautiful woman who touched the lives of many. She chose to enrich her life through the years by continually teaching classes at the University of Utah in music and social sciences. She was a faithful member of the LDS church and served in many capacities throughout her life. She gave countless hours of service throughout the past 11 years, singing with the Tabernacle Choir. She shared her lovely voice with people throughout the world in this capacity. Peggy taught singing lessons for a number of years and was not only a dedicated instructor but also a loving friend to all her students. In addition to her great love for music, she enjoyed reading, horseback riding, photography, golf, the outdoors and spending time in the company of those she loved, especially her grandson, Ian.

Ruby is survived by two children, Laveta (Wayne) McLean of Wheatland, Mo., Paul (Kathy) Stubbs of Pocatello, Lloyd (Christy) Stubbs of Kuna, Michael (Shirley) and Michelle (Karl) Callison, all of Twin Falls; former daughter-in-law, Elaine Stubbs Hall; two granddaughters; 17 great-grandchildren; one brother, Norman "Moose" Colman of Las Vegas, Nev.; two very special sister-in-laws, Lucie Colman of Pocatello and Lucy Colman of Las Vegas, Nev.; several nieces, nephews and cousins; an aunt, Desalee Lodgerwood of Winona, Mo.; and an uncle, Doyle Fretwell of View, Mo. She was preceded in death by her husband, one son, one grandson, her parents and two brothers.

A funeral will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1998, at the First United Methodist Church with Pastor Payne officiating. Interment will be at the Glenn Rest Cemetery. Family and friends may call from 1 p.m. until service time Wednesday at the church. Arrangements are under the direction of Demaree's Gooding Chapel.

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Survivors include her husband, Bruce Crapo, son, Zachary Crapo of Sandy, Utah; daughter, Collette Neil and grandson, Ian Neil; both of Sandy, Utah; daughters, Terry (Brenda) McCandless of Bathol, Wash., and Kevin (Barbara) McCandless of Pocatello; sister, Kathy (Scott) Spackman of Pocatello; and dear friends, Robert and Barbara Bailey of Twin Falls. She was preceded in death by her father, mother, grandmother, Pearl McCandless; and mother-in-law, Lillian Crapo.

A funeral will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1998, at the Sandy Granite South Saco Center, 2130 E. 10000 S. in Sandy, Utah. Friends and family may call from 7 to 9 p.m. today, Feb. 3, 1998, at Larkin Sunset Gardens, 10800 S. 7000 E. in Sandy. Additional viewing for family and close friends will be from 9:30 to 11 a.m. before the service at Larkin Sunset Gardens.

We loved Peggy dearly, and she will be greatly missed by all whose lives she touched.

## HEYBURN



## Pauline M. Arroyo

Pauline Marie Arroyo, 69-year-old Heyburn resident, died

Saturday, Jan. 31, 1998, at her home. Pauline was born Nov. 25, 1928, in Oakley, the daughter of Paul and Lucy Lokumbe. She married Joy Pugsley on Jan. 8, 1954. They had three children and were later divorced. She lived in 1974 until she retired in 1992. She loved flowers, gardening and animals, but most of all, she loved taking care of her grandchildren. She was a very loving and caring person and never hesitated to help those in need.

She is survived by five sons, Paul J. Pugsley of Texas, Kevin (Pamela) Pugsley and Miguel B. Arroyo, both of Heyburn, Tom G. Arroyo of Burley and Carlos (Dana) Arroyo of Nampa; five daughters, Jada Martin of Heyburn, Carla (Doug) Brown of Fremont, Calif., Paula Arroyo of Burley, Carmen (John) Williams of Memphis, Tenn., and Rita (Shawn) Rogers of Rupert; 19 grandchildren; two brothers, Soren Lokumbe and Paul (Bud) Lokumbe, both of Burley; four sisters, Della Smith of Kansas City, Kan., Marge Lokumbe and Seta Nichols, both of Honolulu, Hawaii, and Evelyn Alexander of Burley. She was preceded in death by her husband, Carlos; her parents, one brother, and one sister.

A funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, 1998, at the Paul and 4th Ward LDS chapel with Bishop Kent King officiating. Burial will follow at the Pleasant View Cemetery. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Hansen Mortuary Chapel and one hour before the funeral Wednesday at the church.

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# Wendell groups seek park project

**By Steve Koehler  
Times-News correspondent**

**WENDELL** - Members of Wendell's chamber of commerce, recreation district and Gem Community team are hashing out what will be the largest community-built project in recent years: A covered band stage with public restrooms at City Park.

The organizations intend to have the facility built by Magic Valley Dairy Day in June but want it to serve more than just the annual Dairy Day performers.

"It should be a Magic Valley stage," Jack Green said.

Green, a former professional drummer, said the stage could host dancers and other entertainers from all over the state.

**Want to help?**

**Wendell School District**  
Superintendent Larry Mory is chairman of the chamber's stage committee. To help with the project, call him at 835-2433.

"I think the bandstand's benefits to the community could be fantastic," said former chamber president Floyd Uria.

Green, following the consensus of the organizations' members in a recent meeting, sketched a draft of the structure to be built beneath the trees in City Park's northwest corner. The structure would use the planned restrooms' walls as the back of the stage, and a lean-to roof would cover the stage and restrooms.

The back of the stage would include electrical outlets and a storage area for entertainers' equipment.

Building inspector Sonny Henry recommended heated restrooms and said the facility should be handicapped-accessible.

Grants have been received for the restrooms and the stage, but Greg Evans estimated the effort still would be \$15,000 short of what's needed.

"We need to have professionals (architect, electrician, plumber, builder) on it to get it built right," Evans said.

He offered to work at raising more money once a firm plan is in place.

Harold Simerly of Simerly's General Store offered to pay store employees to help. He said

he believes local builders would help and the city would aid with the pipeline.

Uria said he talked to a company that would donate concrete.

Money for the project so far: The city has a \$30,000 grant for new restrooms at McGinnis and City parks that it must match. The chamber has \$7,847, including a \$6,000 grant, in its building account.

Simerly, who also chairs the Gem Community team, sees the project as a testing ground of the community's spirit.

"If this works reasonably smooth," he said, "we are considering building a new City Hall."

**Times-News correspondent Steve Koehler can be reached at Wendell at 536-2545.**

# Twin Falls man makes way back into prison

**By Kent McCleary  
Times-News writer**



Donald Brink

**TWIN FALLS** - A Twin Falls man police say wrecked a car while trying to flee from police last week is back in prison.

Donald's name Brink, 40, was arrested Wednesday on a warrant for violating parole. Friday, he was transported back to state prison in Boise.

Wednesday, Twin Falls police spotted him walking into a house in the 500 block of Second Avenue North, but Brink ran out of the house and tried to flee in a car, police reports say. The car lost a wheel turning at Fifth Street North and Fifth Avenue North, and Brink was arrested.

spent more time than that in prison, she said.

Brink was arrested on a parole violation last March, said Deborah, who said he was only by that name. He was released Sept. 29, she said.

Brink was listed in "For the Record" in Sunday's *Times-News* as having been released on his own recognizance in probation charges. From Wednesday's arrest, no bail was placed on the felony or misdemeanor charges, but Brink could not have been released from jail until a hearing on the parole violation, court officials say.

Brink was placed in a maximum security unit in Boise and will undergo a two-week assessment before being transferred to another part of the prison system, said the Idaho Department of Corrections, which is in the custody of the state.

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# Felons may pay

**BOISE (AP)** - A Moscow lawmaker thinks many of those who break the law should pay stiffer fines rather than being sent to overcrowded prisons.

Republican Rep. Maynard Miller

introduced a personal bill on Monday that would provide a variety of ways to deal with offenders other than sending them to prison.

"We want to get off the road without getting too easy on them,"

said Miller, a University of Idaho professor.

Idaho's prison population has been expanding rapidly, and with it the share of tax dollars needed to provide prison space and operate the facilities.

# VALLEY IN BRIEF

## Suspicious lead to drug bust

**TWIN FALLS** - An inkeeper's suspicions led police to a drug bust Saturday, police say.

Twin Falls police followed up the report of a high number of people going to room 14 at the El Rancho Motel, 3800 Addison Ave., Saturday, a police report said. Officers went to the room and found Andrea R. Knopp, 29, and John D. Cassola inside.

Knopp was wanted on a charge of failing to appear for sentencing on a charge of possession of a controlled substance, and officers arrested her, the report said. Knopp told officers they could search her things, and they found a kit with drug paraphernalia used for methamphetamine, the report said.

Cassola was wanted on a warrant for participation in the Jan. 18 burglary of a Meadow Gold milk delivery truck. He also was arrested on suspicion of possession of drug paraphernalia, the report said.

Both were being held in Twin Falls County Jail Monday night.

## TF man faces drug charge

**TWIN FALLS** - A Twin Falls man was arrested and charged with drug possession Sunday after police say he attempted to run from them.

An Idaho State Police trooper attempted to stop Wesley Howard Van Blaricom, 42, as he was driving northbound on U.S. Highway 93, at about 8200 North, at 11:20 a.m. Saturday, an ISP report said. Van Blaricom drove his pickup into the Loughmiller Ranch driveway and behind a building, then ran from the vehicle to hide in tall grass, the report said.

The trooper found a small plastic bag with marijuana outside the pickup, a bag with methamphetamine in his wallet, a plastic bottle with white residue and a syringe containing a liquid under a floor mat, the report said. Van Blaricom admitted having shot up with methamphetamine that morning, the report said.

Van Blaricom is charged with possession of meth, driving under the influence, driving without a permit and obstructing a police officer.

## Shoshone council sets meeting

**SHOSHONE** - The Shoshone City Council will meet at 8 p.m. today at City Hall, 207 S. Rail St. W.

Old business will cover a water installation bill, the Frank Geissler contract, a truck from Randy Hansen, a meeting and hearing for Feb. 17, the U.S. 93/3800 Greenwood Highway project and a final bid application for the Riverview Subdivision.

In new business, the council will discuss employee medical and dental renewal, first response information for the fire department, a water section for water line standards, a new plan area for a ball field south of the rodeo arena, a change of water service for the concession stand at the rodeo, a dog kennel contract and city policy on water and sewer connections.

An executive session may be called.

**Compiled from staff reports**

## Semi truck dumps trailer

**TWIN FALLS** - A semi truck dumped one of its three trailers on icy roads Monday morning.

The United Parcel Service truck was eastbound on Interstate 84 between Wendell and Jerome at 4:56 a.m. when it lost control on an icy patch of road, Idaho State Police report said. The lost trailer rolled on its side. No injuries were reported.

Idaho State Police reported several wrecks on I-84 after snow and rain turned to ice overnight, but no injuries were reported.

## See skilling as it used to be

**TWIN FALLS** - If you're hankering to see what skilling was like in the "old days," you might be interested in a 7 p.m. slide show tonight at Sederburg's Restaurant in the Lynwood Shopping Center.

Author Ron Watters, who leads the outdoor adventure program at Idaho State University, will show rare old photographs and discuss the history of skilling in Idaho. Much of the presentation will be drawn from Watters' new book, "Winter Tales and

## Construction workers begin work at private landfill

**MOUNTAIN HOME (AP)** - Construction has started on a new private landfill in the desert east of Boise.

With building permits obtained Jan. 22, Idaho Waste Management System Inc. has the go-ahead to begin construction of the access road and to lay water lines that will serve the landfill, the Mountain Home News reported.

The site about 20 miles west of town could accept more than 1,000 tons of garbage daily from local businesses and other places.

Some Elmore County residents have fought the project, charging the company will profit while residents have to live with a national dumping ground.

But three months ago, the county commissioners approved the conditional-use permit. An effort to recall commissioners Don Reynolds and Barry Peterson stalled.

The county has called on Idaho Waste to make yearly payments of hundreds of thousands of dollars and arrange an inspector to assure compliance with local rules.

Although the winter moisture had left the ground too wet for

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the heavy equipment, workers are confident that with a few days of dry weather, the road work will go quickly. Company officials said the landfill, which the project would be ready to accept waste before year's end.

The company still could face another challenge before opening the landfill, however. Last year, the state passed legislation that all new commercial solid-waste sites are subject to review by a special panel before a license to operate is granted.

Once construction is completed, the company must obtain a license from the state Division of Environmental Quality before any waste can be accepted.

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The panel will include a representative from the governor's office, Mountain Home, Elmore County, the state Transportation Department and Environmental Quality. A public hearing will be held. The panel then will make a recommendation.

Idaho Waste officials argue the law does not apply to them because the measure was passed after they were already well into the process.

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three new computers for patrol officers to use when doing paper work.

Several council members noted that the Western Days carnival is a concern for officials at St. Edward's Catholic Church. Last year the carnival disrupted classes at the church's school, church masses, and at least one funeral and wedding, said Councilman Mike Schaepp.

"They're willing to sit through it this year," Mikesell said, "but the size of the event has outgrown City Park."

Western Days organizer Linda Schoepf conceded that Western Days has grown too big to hold in City Park in future years. Last year, the carnival was estimated at 40,000 to 50,000, she said.

Some council members suggested the carnival could be split away from the festivities at City Park. The parking lot behind the Twin Falls County Courthouse was suggested as an alternate site.

"I don't feel (children) should cross Shoshone Street," Schoepf



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## In other business, the council:

- Approved a \$26,359 bid for C.L. Stutzman Excavating, Inc. for a street widening and waterline installation project on Osterloh Avenue. The work will accommodate the new Clear Shield National factory; money to fund the project has been provided by a state block grant.
- Approved a \$35,647 bid for a new 1,000-horsepower pump that lifts drinking water from springs near the Blue Lakes Country Club to the rim of the Snake River Canyon.
- Proclaimed Monday to be Kimberly Dawn Williams day, honoring the Twin Falls woman who was recently named Miss Rodeo USA.
- Proclaimed this to be Child Passenger Safety Awareness Week.

**Times-News staff writer William Brock can be reached at 733-0931.**

# Hospital

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stioner present, said he only spoke for himself, but favors a study of the hospital's long-term financial health and the board's determination whether a proposal to sell or lease was a viable for the county.

"Right now we got a tremendous asset, which could become a liability," Maughan said.

Totally, only minutes before, a Salt Lake City auditor presented a financial statement showing the hospital well in the black. Magic Valley Regional was in the red, with no money and no tax money and hasn't for years.

health care in becoming a part of a larger network.

"It's hard to be alone any more," said Juntunen, director of the South Central District Health Department. "It's just not there."

But it's also important to consider who wants to buy and how community and patient-minded they would be, he continued. "The thing to do is get more facts."

Dr. Mark McKinn didn't want the "local guy" losing control or the county focusing just on what kind of price tag we could get out of (the hospital). "A few board members also were bothered by lack of details."

**Cheryl Juntunen, board member**

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Board member Doug Vostin said he wanted more information in general about the future of county hospitals.

Board members took no action on the inquiry, but had plenty to say about a proposed purchase, and any offer must meet those guidelines.

"It may be a copy stand-alone hospital like this one are kind of an endangered species," Bennett said.

"The income doesn't look as bright in the future as the past. I think we should make a look at this."

Take board member Cheryl Juntunen. She calls herself a proponent of public hospitals because of patient access, but said she can see the advantages to

money, it's care."

She pointed out that the board had adopted guidelines to protect the community's interest when faced with a proposed purchase, and any offer must meet those guidelines.

Should a decision be made to proceed with a sale or lease, it would first have to go to a vote before the public, said Kent Taylor, the hospital attorney.

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# Radio

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national trend in the radio business brought on by the Communications Act of 1996, Barker said. KECH and KSKI were the last remaining independent

owned stations in southern Idaho, he said.

Alpine Broadcasting also operates stations in Jackson, Wyo., and West Yellowstone, Mont.

The sale is contingent on

approval by the Federal Communications Commission.

**Times-News writer Steve Crump can be reached at 733-0931, Ext. 223.**

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any profanity from you," and asked to close the door," Hicks said.

According to his complaint: "As I did so, one or the other pushed the door in and shoved me backward over the couch."

Hicks claimed in his report that one of the deputies threatened him and swore at him some

more before ordering him out of the house.

Hicks left the house, the complaint says.

car just before they went to the front door of the house to speak with Hicks, the complaint says.

He later spoke to a neighbor who said she saw a car pulling up in front of the house, according to the complaint.

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## MAGIC VALLEY/IDAHO

## Batt: Idaho isn't a racist state



Phil Batt

SUN VALLEY (AP)—Gov. Phil Batt says he doesn't usually travel to Sun Valley on Sundays to give speeches.

But he feels so strongly that Idaho has an undeserved reputation as a haven for racists that he flew to Sun Valley Sunday afternoon to stress that point to the 2,600 members of the all-black National Brotherhood of Skiers.

Batt repeated the message Monday morning in Boise to a gathering of eastern Idaho Chamber of Commerce representatives.

"It's an undeserved reputation we have," Batt told his Boise audience, "an untrue image. I do everything I can to present a positive image of Idaho."

The National Brotherhood of Skiers expected up to 2,600 people in Sun Valley and Ketchum through next weekend. The

brotherhood is a nonprofit organization founded in 1973 in Aspen, Colo., with the goal of developing and supporting black athletes in winter sports.

"It's an emphasis on skiing, and providing the resources necessary for Olympic Games training."

As he has stressed in recent speeches, Batt told his mostly black audience at Sun Valley not to believe reports that the state is a haven for racists.

"One of the things we in Idaho take no pride in are some national reports in newspapers and in

the broadcast media," he said. "Those stories intimate Idaho is a home for racists."

He said he heard reports that some members of the brotherhood had doubts about coming to Idaho because of that.

"Correcting those misperceptions is important to me," he said.

The governor told the skiers that when he presented his annual State of the State message to the Idaho Legislature, he included "a stern message" to anyone with a message of hate in the state.

He said the state has received more attention than justified because of "a handful of malcontents" who have chosen to live in the state.

Batt said problems with racists are not unique to Idaho. Every state has them, he said.

## SERVICES

Cora L. Campbell Summiller of Kimberly, 11 a.m. today at White Mortuary Chapel in Twin Falls.

Deris Jane Dewar Hasselstrom of Paul, 11 a.m. today at the Zion Lutheran Church, 2410 Miller Ave. in Burley; friends may call from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. today at Joyce Mortuary in Burley.

Faye Avon Tate of Salt Lake City, Utah, and formerly of Twin Falls, noon today at the Windsor 7th Ward chapel, 4350 S. 1100 E. in Holladay, Utah; friends and family may call one hour before the service at the church.

Harold R. Mays of Gooding, 1 p.m. today at Demaray's Gooding Chapel.

Samuel James Haug of Buhl, 2 p.m. today at the Farmer Funeral Chapel in Buhl; friends may call

from 10 a.m. until time of the funeral at the chapel.

Goldie Elizabeth Anderberg of Declo, 11 a.m. Wednesday at the

Declo LDS Stake Center; friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Payne Mortuary in Burley and from 10 to 10:45 a.m. Wednesday at the church.

## DEATH NOTICES

## Clyde Bourquin

BURLEY—Clyde Bourquin, 89, of Burley, died Monday, Feb. 2, 1998, at his home.

Arrangements are pending and will be announced by the Hansen Mortuary Burley Chapel.

## Orion M. Jeffries

GOODING—Orion M. Jeffries, 79, of Gooding, died Sunday, Feb. 1, 1998, at the Gooding Rehabilitation and Living Center.

Arrangements are pending and

will be announced by Demaray's Gooding Chapel.

## Leonard Flink

BUHL—Leonard Flink, 69, of Buhl, died Saturday, Jan. 31, 1998, at the Magic Valley Regional Medical Center.

Arrangements are under the direction of Parke's Magic Valley Funeral Home and Crematory in Twin Falls. At his request, no service will be held. Cremation is under the direction of the funeral home.

## HOSPITALS

## MAGIC VALLEY REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

Some names omitted at patients' request.

Admitted

Christina Potmesil of Twin Falls; and Carlos Huerta of Buhl.

Released

Irene Rhoades of Twin Falls.

## CASSIA REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

Some names omitted at patients' request.

Admitted

Edwin Anderson and Donald Silcock, both of Burley.

Released

Robert Gill, Gladys Evans and Curtis Olsen, all of Burley; Vella Arterburn of Heyburn; Wanda Ballard of Rupert; and Rosa Munoz of Hazelton.

## MINIDOKA MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Some names omitted at patients' request.

Admitted

Edward Vaughn of Rupert; Rebekah McDonough and baby boy of Eden; and William Hasselstrom of Springfield, Ore.

Released

Stephanie Burgoyne of Rupert.

Births

A son was born to Rebekah and Tom McDonough of Eden.

## The Associated Press

For Monday, Feb. 2:

Sent to Governor

SB1319 (Finance)

Appropriates \$400,000 extra to Department of Health and Welfare for public health inspections in current budget year.

HB574 (House)

HB574 (Clark)—Repeals city elections law covered in five sections of law to have city election law match state election law procedures.

HB575 (Clark)—Adds operating manuals for the Department of Corrections and county jails to documents exempted from public disclosure.

HB576 (State Affairs)—Prohibits procedure known as partial-birth abortions.

HB577 (State Affairs)—Limits liability for death or injury of a horse engaged in an equine activity.

HB578 (Taylor)—Provides for license and impoundment regarding a motor vehicle inoperable for violation of drunken driving or driving under the influence of drugs and other intoxicating substances.

HB579 (Local Government)—Requires state agencies to coordinate any proposed land use planning efforts with municipal and county governments.

HB580 (Transportation and Defense)—Makes technical amendments to several sections of Motor Fuel Tax Law.

HB581 (Transportation and Defense)—Authorizes Department of Transportation to issue Idaho Snow Skier license plate.

HB582 (Transportation and Defense)—Exempts from motor vehicle operating fees nonprofit subscription fire protection units.

HB583 (Transportation and Defense)—Increases maximum allowable fee for administering commercial driver's license test

from \$35 to \$55.

HB584 (Transportation and Defense)—Requires any railroad train or locomotive operating between terminals to have crew of three persons.

HB585 (Robison, Dieter)—Extends Idaho minimum wage law to farm workers.

HB586 (Revenue and Taxation)—Authorizes State Tax Commission to use alternative dispute resolution to arbitrate or mediate tax disputes.

HB587 (Hornbeck)—Changes filing deadline for Affidavits of Capital and Surplus and Certificates of Compliance from Jan. 31 to Feb. 15.

HB588 (J. Jones)—Provides self-help procedure for persons with former spouses who repeatedly refuse to satisfy terms of a divorce decree.

HB589 (J. Jones)—Provides statutory collection procedure against any contracted sponsor of a legal immigrant who has received public assistance.

HB590 (Miller)—Shifts from local property taxes to increased sales tax and sales tax on services funding for school maintenance and operations.

HB591 (Miller)—Appropriates \$250,000 for compilation and publication of Idaho Water Atlas by 2003.

HB592 (Miller)—Provides for increased fines, vehicle impoundment and suspension of driving privileges for drunken driving violations as an alternative to incarceration.

HB593 (Miller)—Increases beer and wine taxes to provide money for substance abuse and alcohol abuse programs in the public schools.

HB594 (Revenue and Taxation)—Appropriates \$200,000 per year to Panhandle Health District to pay for active source water protection program for the Rathdrum Prairie aquifer.

HB595 (Revenue and Taxation)—Diverts \$15 million from state general fund into Public School Incentive Reduction Fund to help school districts pay off bonded

indebtedness.

SB1378 (Education)—Clarifies the status of Eastern Idaho Technical College.

SB1379 (Resources and Environment)—Approves the Big Payette Lake Management Plan.

SB1380 (Resources and Environment)—Allows the Parks and Recreation Board to make fee adjustments of less than \$1 without legislative approval.

SB1381 (Resources and Environment)—Authorizes the Parks and Recreation Board to make \$500,000 in Harrison State Park improvements to help generate additional money.



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## IDAHO ROAD REPORT

BOISE (AP)—Monday afternoon road conditions from the Idaho Department of Transportation:

Interstate 84—Oregon line-Salt Lake Interchange, dry; Salt Lake Interchange-Utah line, wet.

Interstate 86—Salt Lake Interchange-Raft River, dry; Raft River-Bonanza, wet.

Interstate 15—Wet.

Idaho 55—Boise-Horseshoe Bend, dry; Horseshoe Bend-McCall, wet; icy spots.

U.S. 95—Payette-Cambridge, wet; Cambridge-New Meadows-Riggins, icy spots; Riggins-Whitebird Hill, dry; Whitebird Hill, dry; Grangeville-Winchester, dry; Winchester-Caldwell, wet; Caldwell-Latah County, dry.

Idaho 21—Boise-Idaho City, wet; Idaho City-Lowman, icy spots, broken snow floor; Lowman-Banner Summit, closed; Banner Summit-Stanley, broken snow floor.

U.S. 20—Mountain Home-Cat Creek Summit, wet, snowing, drifting; Cat Creek Summit-Junction Idaho 75, dry; Junction Idaho 75-Carey, wet, snowing; Carey-Idaho Falls-Albion, icy spots, broken snow floor; Ashton-Montana, icy spots.

Idaho 75—Shoshone-Ketchum, dry; Ketchum-Galena, icy spots, snowing; Galena-Clayton, broken snow floor; Clayton-Challis, icy spots.

U.S. 93—Nevada line-Twin Falls, dry; Twin Falls-Shoshone, dry; Shoshone-Carey-Craters of the

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As Good As It Gets (R) 7:00-9:15

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Half Baked (R) 7:00-9:15

Jackie Brown (R) 7:00-9:15

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# FAMILY LIFE

## Woman puts her life on hold waiting for man to leave wife

**DEAR ABBY:** I met a 30-year-old woman who has been waiting four years for her "boyfriend" to leave his wife. She is not the typical mistress type and receives no money or gifts from him. She has a great job and owns her own home. She has given up most of her friends because he doesn't want her to see them, and admits that she has had to change because of him.

This man is 15 years her senior, married 20 years, and has children in college. He is separated from his wife (not legally), and claims he'll get a divorce when his wife can handle it. The wife does not know he has been dating the younger woman, and the younger woman thinks he has fallen out of love with his wife. Abby, this man socializes publicly with his wife and sneaks around with me in the night.

She's a beautiful girl, and a very nice one. How do I get her to open up her eyes and see that she does not "have" him? All she has is a smile that others from one woman to the other. When she asks me for advice and I tell her what I see, she agrees for the moment, but seems to forget it the minute she calls. Her life is passing her by while she sits around waiting for the "man of her dreams" to leave the wife he obviously still loves. Your thoughts, please.

— A FRIEND IN NEED, HIGH SPRINGS, FLA.

**DEAR FRIEND:** Love is blind. It's also deep and sometimes stupid. That's why your otherwise intelligent friend is disregarding your message. It's entirely possible the wife knows all about her, and that this arrangement will last until one of them gives this man an ultimatum — at which point he'll dump your friend in order to save his assets. That's the most common scenario.

**DEAR READERS:** Last year I printed a letter from a California



DEAR ABBY  
Alicia VanDusen

mother who wanted to share a letter she and her husband had received from their daughter the night before her wedding. It read:

"Dearest Parents: On our wedding day, as my husband and I take our vows and make promises to each other, I make this promise to you as well. Even as I take him into my heart and life, I promise to keep you, parents dear, in my heart and life always.

"On this day, know that our love is not divided; it is multiplied, and you are embraced with the full measure of love and promises that he and I share here today.

"For I know that I am able to love and cherish him so much because you loved and cherished me first."

I recently received the following letter from a Waterford, Mich., reader. Read on:

**DEAR ABBY:** You published a letter a couple received as a gift from their daughter the night before her wedding, and you responded that it was a beautiful tribute to them and that they had raised a winner.

I went when I read the words of the letter, as I did when I first wrote them a few years ago. I am an owner of the Victoria Wedding Chapel in Waterford, Mich. The tribute was written by me with my own precious mother in mind — to say as a scroll to brides at my chapel.

It is now also sold by I Do Ltd., a mail-order firm in Newport Beach, Calif., from whom I receive royalties.

Although the California bride

may have copied my words, it does not diminish her sincerity, for I have always known that the thousands of brides across the country who have purchased my scroll must have an extraordinary love and appreciation for their mothers or parents.

I wrote not so much to claim credit for the words, but because my own dear parents, Florence and Edwin Ostrander of Pontiac, Mich., both now gone, deserve the ultimate tribute.

Abby, please say things straight and let the world know about my wonderful parents.

— SHARON OSTRANDER REED

**DEAR SHARON:** Please accept my apology for any pain that was caused you because someone else claimed credit for your beautiful essay. Your parents raised a very special daughter, and your words have inspired countless brides and deeply touched their parents.



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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**REQUEST FOR LETTERS OF INTENT TO BID**  
The Idaho Commission on Aging solicits letters of intent to bid from interested and qualified individuals and organizations/agencies with a capacity to provide effective employment and training services to eligible older individuals 65 and older.

**Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) & Older Worker Program** funds approximately \$21,122 annually will be made available to provide older worker employment and training services in the following Idaho counties during Program Year 1998 (July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999): Blaine, Burley, Caldwell, Coeur d'Alene, Elgin, Idaho Falls, Jerome, Kootenai, Lemhi, Malheur, Shoshone, Teton, and Twin Falls.

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**Carmichael Casida Jerome**

The JTPA & Older Worker Program individuals obtain employment based on the following criteria: by emphasizing the following services: individualized job counseling and employment planning, job search skills development, opportunities, literacy remediation, and placement and post-placement services tailored to the needs of older individuals. Close coordination with Senior Community Service Employment and Training Programs (Title V, Older Americans Act) is required.

Actual funding may fluctuate; allocations have not yet been received. Second-year funding is dependent upon (1) successful performance, and (2) funding availability. JTPA may be allocated grant legislation.

There will be no Bidder's Conference. Questions may be directed to Melissa Adams, Grants Officer, Idaho Commission on Aging at (208) 334-2289.

Letters of Intent to Bid must be submitted by: **Friday, February 6, 1998, at 2:00 PM.**

Letters of Intent to Bid must be submitted to: **Idaho Commission on Aging, 700 W. Jefferson, Room 108, PO Box 83720, Boise, Idaho 83720-0007.**

**PUBLISH: February 2, 3, 4 and 7, 1998**

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**TWIN FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT #411**  
**TWIN FALLS COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO**  
**NOTICE OF SCHOOL PLANT FACILITIES LEASE ELECTION**

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, according to law, and the regulation action of the Board of Trustees of Twin Falls School District #411, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho, that a School Plant Facilities Lease Election has been called, and will be held Tuesday, February 10, 1998, between the hours of 12:00 noon and 6:00 p.m. or, said day, at the various polling stations hereinafter designated, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said District, for their vote and determination, the following question, to wit:

Shall the Board of Trustees of Twin Falls School District #411, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho, be authorized and empowered to levy as provided in Idaho Code 33-804 and 33-901, for School Plant Facilities Reserve Fund, for the purpose of allowing the District to acquire, purchase or improve school site or sites; to accumulate funds for and to build a schoolhouse, or schoolhouse or other building or buildings to demolish or remove school buildings; to add, to remodel or repair any existing building; to furnish and equip any building or buildings, and to furnish and equip any building or buildings to maintain and operate school plant facilities; to purchase school plant facilities or lease and lease purchase agreements for any of the above purchases and to repay loans from commercial lending institutions to pay for the construction of school plant facilities, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1998, and continuing each year thereafter for ten (10) years.

Shall the Board of Trustees of Twin Falls School District #411, Twin Falls County, State of Idaho, be authorized and empowered to levy a School Plant Facilities Reserve Fund Levy in the amount of \$500,792.00, Five Hundred Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Two and no/100, for the first fiscal year beginning July 1, 1998, and increasing 5% per year for ten years.

Year 1 1998 \$500,792 Five Hundred Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety Two  
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Year 3 2001 \$552,445 Five Hundred Sixty Two Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Five  
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Year 7 2005 \$668,170 Six Hundred Eighty Three Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Five  
Year 8 2006 \$699,000 Seven Hundred Ninety Nine Thousand One Hundred Forty Eight  
Year 9 2007 \$730,551 Seven Hundred Ninety Nine Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Five  
Year 10 2008 \$762,833 Seven Hundred Ninety Nine Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Five

The polls for the reception of the ballots cast in said election are to be opened at the hour of 12:00 noon, and will remain open until the hour of 6:00 p.m., of said date, when they will be closed.

Said School District shall for the purpose of said election be divided into seven (7) polling places within the boundaries of Twin Falls School District #411 and the polling places shall be as follows:

Lincoln Elementary School, 238 7th Street North, Twin Falls, Idaho

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Falls, ID  
1.B. Perrine Elementary School, 452 Caswell Avenue West, Twin Falls, ID  
Harrison Elementary School, 600 Harrison Street, Twin Falls, ID  
Baworth Elementary School, 1771 Stadium Blvd., Twin Falls, ID  
Morningside Elementary School, 701 Morningside Drive, Twin Falls, ID  
Oregon Trail Elementary School, 660 Park Avenue, Twin Falls, ID  
Twin Falls Senior High School, 1615 Flarer Avenue East, Twin Falls, ID

**QUALIFICATION OF VOTERS**  
Any person voting, or offering to vote, in any school election must be, at the time of the election:  
1. A United States Citizen, a registered qualified elector of the district who has resided in the district at least thirty (30) days prior to date of election, eighteen (18) years of age or older, within the meaning of Article 6, Section 2, of the Idaho Constitution; and  
2. A bona fide resident thereof.

In addition to the foregoing qualifications, no school elector shall be permitted to vote at said election unless such person is registered as set forth in chapter 4, title 34-40, Idaho Code, and such person shall have executed, in writing and immediately before voting, an elector's oath asserting that he or she possesses the qualifications of an elector prescribed by 33-405, Idaho Code, as amended, in the records and returns of the board of election.

**Board of Trustees**  
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**\*JEROME** - Jerome Elks Lodge No. 1785 is sponsoring a Chili Cook Off to begin at 6 p.m. Friday at the Elks Lodge.

**\*GOODING** - Breakfast will be served from 8 to 10 a.m. Saturday at the Gooding Senior Center, 308 Senior Ave.

**BURLEY** - The Mini-Cassia Odd Fellows will hold their 51st Annual Ground Hog Feed from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday at the Burley 1007 Hall, 1358 Oakley Ave. Cost is \$4 per person.

**\*RUPERT** - The Minico High School Spartan Singers will provide "Sing-A-Grains" for Valentine's Day. For more information, call the Spartan Singers at 436-4721.

**\*TWIN FALLS** - The Twin Falls County Court Watch meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the basement at the courthouse. The public is invited.

**\*TWIN FALLS** - The Mutual UFO Network meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Office On Aging in the Senior Annex, located on the College of Southern Idaho campus.

**\*TWIN FALLS** - A DivorceCare group will meet from 8 to 10 p.m. Thursdays, beginning this Thursday, in Room 110 of the Shields Building at the College of Southern Idaho.

**\*TWIN FALLS** - The South Central District Health Department is looking for women to participate in the Idaho Women's Health Check program. For more information or to sign up, call 734-5900, Ext. 249.

**\*TWIN FALLS** - Falls Avenue Fitness and the Twin Falls Clinic & Hospital are presenting the Second Annual Fit Fair from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday at Falls Avenue Fitness Unlimited.

**\*TWIN FALLS** - The monthly pancake breakfast will be served from 8 to 11 a.m. Saturday at the Twin Falls Senior Center, 616 Eastland Ave.

**\*HOLLISTER** - Scout Troop 99 has planned a turkey shoot for noon Saturday at the LDS Church on Highway 93. Everyone is welcome. For more information, call Eric Parrott at 733-1456 or Wyatt Williams at 655-1335.

**\*TWIN FALLS** - A Colorwash Theory class will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at Cavelle's Quilts, 677-A Filler Ave. (Campus Commons). For pre-registration, call 733-7879.

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By Steve Koehler  
Times-News correspondent

**WENDELL** - A Wendell Elementary fourth-grade class has built an outdoor scale model of the solar system. The model is meant to give passers-by a sense of how much of outer space is just that—space.

Kathryn Cooper's students used paper disks to model the solar system. The model begins with the sun, mounted at the school grounds, and ends with Pluto, nearly four miles south of town.

"I was surprised at how large the model was," Cooper said after the calculations were made.

Students mounted solar system bodies at the school along Idaho Street, then rode a bus to the distant planets posted earlier by their teacher. The sun—actually 664,000 miles in diameter—is a 5.5-inch yellow paper disk on the school's fence at the corner of Fourth Avenue East.

Planet Mercury is next and to the south. It's a BB-size dot drawn on a paper plate and mounted on a stake outside the school's west door. Venus and Earth are on the playground between Third and Second avenues. Mars is on the next block.

Four blocks further south, at the Wendell Snack Bar, lies Jupiter. Largest of the nine, Jupiter is a 5.5-inch circle on a paper plate.

Student Adam Kroeger commented on what he learned from building the model.

"The sun's way bigger than the planets," he said.

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How big?

The red giant, Betelgeuse, is larger than the orbit of Mars. In the class

model it would be 1,722 feet in diameter.

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sun's nearest star, Alpha Centauri, there would be a big problem. It's actual distance, 4.3 light years, translates to 25,247 miles away in the model.

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## Instructor transforms junk into art

By Rachel Denny  
Times-News correspondent

**TWIN FALLS** - Mark Arnout's welding is far from traditional, along with the everyday welding that he makes his living at, he creates art out of something many would consider junk.

Arnout has been welding since he was 12 years old. His father, who was a professional welder, taught him how to weld.

Before he became interested in the art aspect of welding, he was involved in building custom trailers.

Now out of the custom trailer business, Arnout receives his income from welding classes he teaches at the College of Southern Idaho, other welding jobs and his art.

Arnout said he would like to have his art be his sole provider of income, but for now, he's just happy with the way things are going.

"I would like it to (sustain me solely)," Arnout said. "I'm just letting things go as they fall. I'm doing my art shows and letting it come as it will. If things happen, they happen. If things don't, they don't."

And art shows he does, 12 to 13 a year to be exact. He travels with his art from Northern Nevada through Utah and Idaho.

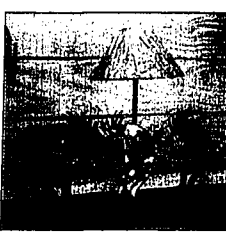
Arnout's styles include cowboy, Western, Indian, and wildlife; but he'll do anything that's possible to satisfy a customer.

"I take a lot of ideas that people give me. Most of my ideas are suggestions that other people make. I'm a listener, you're never too old to learn. I do a lot of contrails and lamps as income," Arnout said. "My metal sculptures are my art."

His metal sculptures, as well as the rest of his art, consist of "scraped" steel. Arnout's specialties consist of sculptures made from old farm disks. The disks are a hard metal, which lends itself to more creativity.

Different degrees of heat are used to create different colors on the steel. The darkest color is the hottest temperature and the lightest color is the coolest temperature. After the piece is done, an auto-body clear coat is placed over the piece to attain the finish.

Arnout has also become involved in



A piece of Mark Arnout's art work is derived from a western theme.

another form of art. He recently became interested in forging.

"Forging goes back hundreds of years," Arnout said. "It's an ancient art. I'm striving to learn that now."

Forging is a process by which metal is heated and twisted to the desired form. Arnout uses this technique to create rustic lamps and other metal sculptures.

Arnout said he has always loved steel and it's always been a part of his life. Arnout is passing on some of his knowledge by teaching it to others.

"I love steel," Arnout said. "It's always been my life. Every occupation I've ever had has been with steel. You'd have to love it doing it 30 years."

In Arnout's continuing education courses, he teaches Introduction to Welding and Specialty Welding. He combines basic techniques and some fun to teach people to enjoy welding.

"I try to use the artwork in the welding program at night to keep them (the classes) interesting," Arnout said. "If all you do is burn rod and burn rod, that gets pretty boring."

And Arnout's success rate has been high. The night welding courses at CSI are filled, and there is a waiting list.

Ed Martin, welding supervisor for CSI said, "We try to get our students to do something new and interesting. Instead of doing monotonous things, we do new and interesting things."



Continuing Education instructor in welding at the College of Southern Idaho, Mark Arnout, incorporates his art in his class to interest students.

"He (Arnout) has a pretty good background in this thing, he does some sculpture things, he brought some new stuff in (the welding program)."

To find out more about the welding program offered, contact the Continuing Education department at the College of Southern Idaho.

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COMMUNITY

American Legion congratulates young speakers

A NEW ADVENTURE

FILER - Josie Moore and Alex Reed were recently recognized at their local American Legion Post.

Moore, the daughter of Ray and Julie Moore, was the first-place recipient of this year's local oratorical contest. Reed, the son of Rex and Carla Reed, earned second place. Moore progressed to the district level of competition.

The purpose of the American Legion's National High School Oratorical Contest is to develop a deeper knowledge and appreciation of the Constitution of the United States on the part of high school students. Other objectives of the contest include the development of leadership qualities, the ability to think and speak clearly and intelligently and the preparation for acceptance of duties and responsibilities, the right and privileges of American citizenship.

Each student that participated in this year's contest was required to present a prepared oration on some phase of the Constitution. The oration had to be an original effort. Along with their original oration, an student was also required to speak on an assigned topic that tested the speaker's knowledge as related to the basic principles of government under the Constitution.



Alex Reed and Josie Moore, center, recently placed in this year's local American Legion National High School Oratorical Contest. They are pictured with Legion members Rex Reed, left, and Jim Peterson.



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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Disaster service training begins

TWIN FALLS - The American Red Cross is offering disaster services training sessions during February at 181 Morrison St.

Classes will begin at 6 p.m. today and Feb. 10, 17 and 24. Topics are "Introduction to Disaster," "Mass Care, an Overview," "Shelter Operations" and "Damage Assessment."

Emergency Service Coordinator Michael C. Young will lead the classes.

CSI Boosters honor athletes

TWIN FALLS - The College of Southern Idaho Golden Eagle Boosters will honor the volleyball and cross-country teams at a banquet on Thursday at 6:30 p.m. today at Certe's.

Boosters are welcome to sponsor an athlete for the dinner.

Homeowners plan February meeting

TWIN FALLS - The Lazy J Homeowners Association will meet at 1 p.m. Wednesday for bingo.

Bring a "white elephant" and a Valentine for the Valentine box.

County court watch meeting scheduled

TWIN FALLS - The Twin Falls County Court Watch meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the basement at the courthouse.

The public is invited.

Speaker addresses Guardian Angels

TWIN FALLS - The Mutual Of New York meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Office On Aging in the Senior Annex, located on the College of Southern Idaho campus off Washington Street.

"Communicating With Your Guardian Angels" will be presented by Eric Evans. The public is welcome. A \$3 minimum contribution is requested.

For more information, call Penni at 736-1671.

Support offered to divorcees

TWIN FALLS - A DivorceCare group will meet from 10 to 12 p.m. Thursdays, beginning this Thursday, in Room 110 of the Shields Building at the College of Southern Idaho.

DivorceCare is a special-help seminar and support group for people experiencing divorce and separation. It features nationally recognized speakers and recovery topics. Seminar sessions include "Facing Your Anger," "Facing Your Loneliness," "Depression," "New Relationships," "Kid-Care" and "Forgiveness."

The seminar is sponsored by the Clover Trinity Lutheran Church. For more information, call 734-7930 or 734-4950.

Program to focus on women's health

TWIN FALLS - The South District Health Department is looking for women to participate in the Idaho

Women's Health Check program.

The program offers free health exams, including paps and mammograms, to women between the ages of 50 and 64. To qualify, women must be income eligible and have no insurance coverage for these services. Clinics are held in Twin Falls, Halley and Rupert. Appointments are being scheduled now for Feb. 6 and 27.

For more information or to sign up, call 734-5900, Ext. 249.

Annual Fit Fair set for Saturday

TWIN FALLS - Falls Avenue Fitness and the Twin Falls Clinic & Hospital are presenting the Second Annual Fit Fair from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday at Falls Avenue Fitness Unlimited.

Free blood pressure checks, body composition, three-minute step tests and flexibility exams will be given. A blood cholesterol screening will be available for \$5 (don't eat for 12 hours before the test). A Dance for Heart fund-raiser for the American Heart Association is set for 9:30 to 11 a.m. KIXX 104.7 FM radio will do a live radio remote. Free health screenings are provided by the Metropolis and Albertson's.

Senior center to serve breakfast

TWIN FALLS - The monthly pancake breakfast will be served from 8 to 11 a.m. Saturday at the Twin Falls Senior Center, 616 Eastland Ave.

Ham or sausage, juice, coffee, milk, eggs, hashbrowns, pancakes and biscuits and gravy are on the menu. Cost is a donation of \$3 for seniors ages 60 and above and \$4 for those under 60; children are \$2.50 each.

The senior center is sponsoring dances on the second and fourth Sunday of each month. Cost is \$2.50 per person. Bingo is played on Fridays. The public is invited.

Turkey Shoot fights high camp cost

HOLLISTER - Scout Troop 99 has planned a turkey shoot for noon Saturday at the LDS Church on Highway 93.

Cost includes turkey, turkey legs, sausage and other items. Cost is \$5 per shoot, with some kids' shoots at \$3. Free chili and hot chocolate will be served. Various types of shoots available are Buddy Shoots, Cake Shoots, Quail Walks, Non-winner and others.

All proceeds will help the scouts go to Camp Bradley this summer. Donations for scholarships to help financially challenged kids participate will be accepted.

The shoot originated about 1965 when the scout troop obtained permission to use the old Burger King Club site. An old manual springloaded trap was used at that time. Improvements including a slabwood shelter and a stove were added. It was held here for several years. When an electric trap was purchased, the site was moved to the Hollister area. Ralph Schnell, Paul Turnipseed, Ray Reichert, Ben Ledbetter, Chuck Woodland, the Scarrow brothers and others were early supporters.

Everyone is welcome. For more information, call Eric Parrott at 733-1456 or Wyatt Williams at 655-4335.

Class discovers principles of color

TWIN FALLS - A Colorwash Theory class will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at Morale's Quilts, 616 Filer Ave. (Campus Commons).

The principles of color, its value, hue and movement will be taught. For pre-registration, call 733-7879.

Derby car designers prepare to race

TWIN FALLS - The Falls District Boy Scouts of America has planned a Pinewood Derby for Saturday at the Magic Valley Mall. The event opens at 10 a.m. A media race is set for 1 p.m., and the race for district champion and travel trophy starts at 1:30 p.m. District Cub Scout packs are invited to participate.

Scout Troop 67 cooks morning meal

TWIN FALLS - Boy Scout Troop 67 will hold its annual pancake breakfast this weekend on Methodist Scout Sunday, in the fellowship hall at the First United Methodist Church, 360 Shoshone St. E.

Breakfast starts at 7:30 a.m. The menu features pancakes, sausage, hashbrowns, scrambled eggs, orange juice and coffee. Cost is by donation. Proceeds will be used for Friends of Scouting, a Snake River Council organization that provides for camp maintenance, staff salaries, high adventure programs, etc.

Following breakfast, the scouts will participate in the 11 a.m. worship service at the church.

Red Cross plans various blood drives

TWIN FALLS - The American Red Cross has planned a blood drive for 1 to 7 p.m. Monday, noon to 6 p.m. Feb. 10 and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Feb. 11 at the First Presbyterian Church, 209 Fifth Ave. N.

Blood donors must be at least 17 years old, weigh at least 110 pounds and be in good general health.

For an appointment or more information, call 734-4556.

Donations add Valley House efforts

TWIN FALLS - Valley House on Addison Avenue has a tough-house philosophy with its guests. Entry requires a referral, police check and an employment contract. Since its beginning three years ago, it has provided almost 26,000 bed-space nights, serving more than 900 individuals. Two-thirds of the guests are families with children.

Local churches are the backbone of Valley House's support with hundreds of church families giving \$1 a month toward the operating expenses. Magic Valley businesses also contribute throughout the year. Platt Electric Supply recently donated and installed smoke alarms. Magic Valley Towing bought some exterior doors. Individuals, scouts, youth groups and organizations continuously give to Valley House.

If your business has a donation, call Roger at 734-7736.

EVENTS ELSEWHERE

Class discount benefits two

RUPERT - February is American Heart Month, and the Mini-Cassia Chapter of the American Red Cross is sponsoring a "Sweetest Special" to encourage the public to learn to "save a heart."

The chapter has a coupon avail-

able that enables two people to enroll in a cardiopulmonary resuscitation class for the price of one. The offer is valid for any Red Cross CPR community course offered in Idaho during the month of February.

Call the chapter at 436-7339 or stop in at 707 F St. for a class schedule or to sign up.

Local churches win during Souper Bowl

JEROME - Hungry people were on the winning team in Souper Bowl '98, as people in the Jerome community scored touchdown after touchdown by bringing a dollar and a can of soup to church for use in stocking the community food pantry.

The Souper Bowl is a national endeavor, held on Super Bowl Sunday, to collect funds and soup to help feed the homeless and anyone needing food.

Seven churches in Jerome participated in the event this year. Their score was 760 as they gave \$750 to be used to purchase items for the community food pantry administered by the Jerome Ministerial Association.

FOCUS ON PEOPLE

Family of the Month honored for unity

Craig and Kathleen Karel were chosen as the December Family of the Month by the Knights of Columbus of the Immaculate Conception Parish in Buhl.

Craig Karel is the grand knight of Council 2685 and helps coach the youth of the parish in the annual Father Hallisey basketball tournament. He owns Snake River Aircraft Maintenance at the Twin Falls airport.

Kathleen Karel is a member of the Buhl Council of Catholic Women and Philanthropic Education Organization and coordinates the dining room committee. She is active in the Filer Kiwanis Club and works for Advanced Collection Technology in Twin Falls.

Craig, Kathleen and their sons, Joseph, Nathan and Ryan, live in Filer.

New baby receives gifts as welcome

Several organizations donated prizes or gifts to the New Year's baby. They include a basket of baby items from the National Regional Medical Center Auxiliary, a giant teddy bear and well-baby checks and immunizations from MYRMC, a large box of diapers from Costco, a quilt from Beta Sigma Phi and other gifts from the LDS Seminary.

Spracher wins Geography Bee

Brandon Spracher, a seventh-grader at Robert Stuart Junior High School, won the school-level competition of the National Geography Bee on Jan. 7 and a chance at a \$25,000 college scholarship.

The school-level where students answered oral questions on geography, was the first round in the 10th annual National Geography Bee. Brandon took the quiz, which was held at the Valley High School, to determine his eligibility for the national competition in May in Washington, D.C. He is the son of Roberta Spracher.

SENIOR CALENDAR

Twin Falls Senior Citizens Center  
616 Eastland Drive  
Dinner served from noon to 12:30 p.m. Suggested donation is \$3 for seniors. The cost is \$4 for non-seniors under 60 and \$2.50 for children under 12.  
Today: Chicken cordon blue  
Wednesday: Ham and broccoli  
Thursday: Mexican dinner  
Friday: Fried chicken  
Monday: Pork chops

Activities  
Today: Ceramics at 1 p.m.  
Wednesday: Blood pressure checks  
Thursday: Crafts at 1 p.m.  
Friday: Bingo at 11:55 a.m.  
Pinchule at 1 p.m.  
West End Senior Citizens Inc.  
1010 Main St., Buhl  
All meals at noon, Tuesday through Saturday, 1 p.m. on Sunday and 3:30 p.m. on Monday. Thrift shop open every day from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Today: Spaghetti with meat sauce

Wednesday: Spaghetti  
Thursday: Pork chops  
Friday: Pork chops  
Saturday: Chicken and biscuits  
Sunday: Ham  
Monday: Pancakes

Activities  
Today: Quilting at the center.  
Bingo from 7 to 9 p.m.  
Wednesday: Exercise class at 10 a.m.  
Thursday: Quilting at the center.  
Bingo after meal.  
Evening meal and cards.  
Friday: Exercise at 10 a.m.  
Saturday: Exercise at 10 a.m.  
Monday: Exercise at 10 a.m.  
Evening lunch at 5:30 p.m. and cards.  
Filer Senior Haven  
222 Main St., Filer  
Dinners served at noon on Tuesday and Thursday and at 6 p.m. on Friday. Suggested donation is \$2 for seniors. Some deli-meal meals available each meal time.  
Today: Spaghetti and meat sauce  
Thursday: Cubed steak  
Friday: Turkey ala king over

Ageless Senior Citizens  
310 Main St. N., Kimberly  
All dinners at noon. Suggested donation is \$2.50.  
Wednesday: Menu unavailable  
Friday: Menu unavailable  
Monday: Menu unavailable  
Thrift shop open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

SERVICE NEWS

Blain gains Navy training

Seaman Apprentice Matthew Kristopher Blain of Boise joined the Navy on Sept. 4, 1997. He took his boot training at Great Lakes Naval Training Center in Great Lakes, Ill. He completed his basic training in late October and is now in electronic school. He was home on leave for Christmas and New Year's.



Matthew Blain

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## Dow gains 200, S&P tops 1,000

## Interest rates

At the end of 10 years, the first borrower will have paid about \$128,900 in interest vs. \$139,400 for the second borrower. Even after subtracting the \$5,000 in upfront loan fees, the first borrower still saves \$5,500. The longer you stay, the

Just because you're getting a no-cost loan doesn't mean you should ignore the points and fees. Keep close tabs on the broker's commission, title insurance, appraisal and other costs. In the past, total loan costs averaged about 4 percent of the loan amount. These days, if your total loans costs (including points) exceed 2.5 percent to 3 percent of the loan, you probably could have negotiated a lower interest rate.

The Standard & Poor's 500-stock index pushed above 1,000 early in the session, blowing past Thursday's record close of

Several of those markets had been closed toward the end of last week for Lunar New Year celebrations, which helped foster a

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**Asian impact yet."**  
Wall Street also drew a heart from

Wall Street also drew a boost from Friday's announcement that Smith Barney had broken off merger talks with American Home Products and is now

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# MARKETS

## CLOSING FUTURES

Commodity	High	Low	Change
Feb. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Mar. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Apr. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
May Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Jun. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Jul. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Aug. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Sep. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Oct. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Nov. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
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Dec. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15
Jan. Live cattle	63.32	63.32	+1.15

## BEANS

Yellow Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
White Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Black Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Green Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Red Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Orange Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Pinto Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Navy Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Adzuki Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Lentils	100.00	100.00	0.00
Chickpeas	100.00	100.00	0.00
Mung Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Soybeans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Black Soybeans	100.00	100.00	0.00
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Yellow Soybeans	100.00	100.00	0.00
White Soybeans	100.00	100.00	0.00

## GRAINS

Wheat	100.00	100.00	0.00
Barley	100.00	100.00	0.00
Oats	100.00	100.00	0.00
Rye	100.00	100.00	0.00
Millet	100.00	100.00	0.00
Sorghum	100.00	100.00	0.00
Buckwheat	100.00	100.00	0.00
Amaranth	100.00	100.00	0.00
Quinoa	100.00	100.00	0.00
Speltz	100.00	100.00	0.00
Tritic	100.00	100.00	0.00
Farro	100.00	100.00	0.00
Einkorn	100.00	100.00	0.00
Bulgur	100.00	100.00	0.00
Durum	100.00	100.00	0.00
Semolina	100.00	100.00	0.00
Polenta	100.00	100.00	0.00
Maccaroni	100.00	100.00	0.00
Pasta	100.00	100.00	0.00
Rice	100.00	100.00	0.00
Wild Rice	100.00	100.00	0.00
Barley	100.00	100.00	0.00
Oats	100.00	100.00	0.00
Rye	100.00	100.00	0.00
Millet	100.00	100.00	0.00
Sorghum	100.00	100.00	0.00
Buckwheat	100.00	100.00	0.00
Amaranth	100.00	100.00	0.00
Quinoa	100.00	100.00	0.00
Speltz	100.00	100.00	0.00
Tritic	100.00	100.00	0.00
Farro	100.00	100.00	0.00
Einkorn	100.00	100.00	0.00
Bulgur	100.00	100.00	0.00
Durum	100.00	100.00	0.00
Semolina	100.00	100.00	0.00
Polenta	100.00	100.00	0.00
Maccaroni	100.00	100.00	0.00
Pasta	100.00	100.00	0.00

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Wheat	100.00	100.00	0.00
Barley	100.00	100.00	0.00
Oats	100.00	100.00	0.00
Rye	100.00	100.00	0.00
Triticale	100.00	100.00	0.00
Grain	100.00	100.00	0.00
Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
Lentils	100.00	100.00	0.00
Peas	100.00	100.00	0.00
Chickpeas	100.00	100.00	0.00
Black Beans	100.00	100.00	0.00
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